

## Weekly production figures

### Wilmar Sugar Plane Creek Mill Week 19, Week ending 22 October 2022

	This week	Season to date
<b>Cane crushed</b>	53,559	980,257
Average bin weight	3.85	3.87
<b>CCS</b>	13.38	13.15

#### Cane variety performance for region

Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS
Q183	34.4	13.48	SRA9	5.8	13.11
Q208	20.7	13.32	Q138	5.7	12.77
Q240	15.9	13.74	Q252	1.1	14.49
Q253	10.0	13.10	Q238	1.1	11.68

#### Comments:

Plane Creek Mill crushed 53,559 tonnes of cane for the week. That brought the season-to-date total to just over 980,000 tonnes, which represents 65 per cent of the forecast 1.50 million tonne crop.

A choke on No. 3 mill resulted in an extended factory stoppage on Wednesday.

Storms over much of the supply district on Wednesday night significantly impacted harvesting which led to a lengthy cane supply gap on Friday. The production team took the opportunity to conduct a factory clean during the forced downtime.

A rain band passed over the district on Friday night, further impacting harvesting operations into the weekend.

The wet weather adversely impacted CCS, resulting in a drop of 0.56 of a unit from the previous week, closing out at 13.38 units.

The highest CCS was 15.85 units from a rake of Q183 1<sup>st</sup> ratoon from the Mt Christian productivity district.

Road users are urged to use their train brain as they travel in and around our sugar milling districts.

Approach all cane rail crossings with caution and always give way to cane trains.

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