

Weekly production figures

Wilmar Sugar Plane Creek Mill Week 27, Week ending 17 December 2022

	This week	Season to date
Cane crushed	54,737	1,379,343
Average bin weight	3.72	3.84
CCS	11.17	12.96

Cane variety performance for region

Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS
Q183	33.3	11.46	Q253	4.3	10.88
Q208	26.6	11.29	Q252	3.8	11.42
Q240	13.8	11.31	Q232	3.5	10.03
Q138	6.9	10.61	Q242	1.3	10.83

Comments:

Plane Creek Mill crushed just under 55,000 tonnes of cane for the week, bringing the season total to just below 1.38M tonnes.

Weekly throughput was impacted by a shredder tip change on Monday, and a chemical clean and maintenance stop on Thursday.

The average weekly CCS was 11.17 units. The season-to-date CCS fell below 13 for the first time since week 15, closing out at 12.96 units.

The highest CCS was 14.35 units from a rake of Q183 2nd Ratoon from the Plane Creek productivity district.

With the risk of additional rainfall, Wilmar has decided to crush through the Christmas holiday period, provided there is adequate supply.

With school holidays under way, we ask parents and carers to remind children that cane trains will continue to operate into January this season.

Please keep your train brain switched on. Be alert, stay off our rail network and always give way to cane trains.

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