Weekly production figures

Wilmar Sugar Proserpine Mill Week 22, ending 26 November 2022

	This week	Season to	
		date	
Cane crushed	87,630	1,467,484	
Average bin weight	9.35	9.66	
CCS	13.22	14.10	

Cane variety performance for region							
Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS		
Q240	26.20	13.23	Q242	1.84	11.72		
Q183	24.70	13.29	SP80	1.77	12.46		
Q208	23.86	13.55	Q247	1.66	13.25		
Q253	2.36	13.34	Q232	1.56	12.22		

Comments:

Despite reports of over 100mm of rain in various harvesting districts, a combined effort from all sectors saw Proserpine Mill crush more than 87,000 tonnes for the week, approximately 13,000 tonnes above forecast.

Average CCS levels have decreased to 13.22 units, 0.42 units less than the previous week.

Average bin weights continue to decline, with this week's average coming in 0.31 tonnes under the season-to-date average.

The highest CCS sample was 15.54 units from a rake of Q183 ratoon in the Kelsey Creek Productivity District.

Growers are reminded that the 2023 forecast maps have been uploaded to GrowerWeb. Please update with any changes for the 2023 crushing season. Contact the Proserpine Logistics Officer with any queries.

With the crushing season extending into the school holiday period, we ask parents and caregivers to talk to children about the dangers of playing on or around our cane rail network.

Do not linger near any part of the rail network, and only cross the line using designated crossings.

Remember our locos are towing heavy loads and can take up to 1km to come to a complete stop.

Our cane trains are in operation around the clock, seven days a week during the crushing season, including over the holiday period.

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