

Weekly production figures

Wilmar Sugar Proserpine Mill Week 7, ending 14 August 2021

	This week	Season to date
Cane crushed	71,271	502,397
Average bin weight	9.67	9.61
CCS	14.56	14.10

Cane variety performance for region

Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS
Q240	35.28	14.53	Q232	2.80	13.91
Q208	21.40	14.81	SP80	2.53	14.61
Q183	16.65	14.55	Q238	2.17	14.15
KQ228	4.92	14.93	Q190	1.62	15.45

Comments:

Proserpine Mill has passed a major milestone, with more than 500,000 tonnes crushed so far this season.

The weekly throughout of about 71,000 tonnes was below expectations due to rain.

The mid-week wet weather event disrupted harvesting and crushing operations. However, many districts welcomed the good top-up rain.

The operations team used the unplanned stop to do some factory maintenance.

Average weekly CCS was 14.56 – more than half a unit above budget despite the rain.

The highest CCS sample was 16.61 from a rake of second ratoon Q183 in the Kelsey Creek Productivity District.

Motorists, please remember to 'Use your train brain' and always take care around our cane railway level crossings.

Cane trains can't swerve and they can't come to a quick stop. It's up to you to stay alert, obey signs and signals, and give way to cane trains.

The next major maintenance day is scheduled for Wednesday 18 August.

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