Burdekin region mills

Week 11, ending 22 August 2020					
Cane crushed	This week	Season to date			
Invicta	151,708	1,339,835			
Pioneer	86,049	580,254			
Kalamia	77,727	595,625			
Inkerman	88,829	639,515			
Burdekin	404,313	3,155,229			
CCS					
Invicta	14.67	13.45			
Pioneer	14.90	13.91			
Kalamia	14.09	13.54			
Inkerman	14.69	13.82			
Burdekin	14.61	13.62			

Weekly variety performance for region						
Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS	
KQ228	45	14.31	Q253	1	13.03	
Q183	25	14.74	Q252	1	14.51	
Q208	15	14.53				
Q232	13	14.50				

Comments:

The Burdekin recorded another good crushing week with throughput exceeding 400,000 tonnes. Favourable weather is paving the way for good cane quality and bin weights. Total throughput for the year is now over three million tonnes.

Average weekly CCS continues to climb steadily and finished the week at 14.61 units, which is now only just below budget.

The highest CCS sample was 18.0 from a rake of Q183 first ration cane in the Invicta area.

There has been an increase in the number of near misses at cane rail crossings recently and some details have been provided to police.

Members of the Burdekin community are urged to remain vigilant around our cane rail crossings we head towards the season's halfway mark. Please use your train brain and always give way to cane trains.

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