Weekly production figures

Burdekin region mills

Week 21, ending 31 October 2020			
Cane crushed	This week	Season to date	
Invicta	117,578	2,830,368	
Pioneer	44,429	1,336,039	
Kalamia	71,364	1,342,110	
Inkerman	81,931	1,374,919	
Burdekin	315,302	6,883,436	

CCS		
Invicta	14.62	14.43
Pioneer	14.43	14.88
Kalamia	14.50	14.38
Inkerman	15.19	14.66
Burdekin	14.71	14.55

Weekly variety performance for region CCS Variety Variety % % CCS Q240 38 14.60 Q232 5 13.50 Q208 19 15.09 Q253 3 13.19 Q183 18 15.27 Q252 1 14.93 KQ228 16 14.64

Comments:

The Burdekin mills processed just over 315,000 tonnes this week. Throughput was below budget due to storms disrupting harvesting last weekend.

Most of the heavy falls were in the Pioneer and Invicta areas. As a result, a large amount of stale cane has had to be processed, causing lost time and reduced rates.

Inkerman and Kalamia mills were impacted to a lesser degree and performed well overall.

Average weekly CCS dropped to 14.71 as a result of the rain and stale cane.

The highest CCS sample was 18.01 from rakes of Q183 first and second ratoon in the Inkerman area.

Invicta Mill is currently expected to finish the season on 15 November.

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