

Weekly Production Figures

Burdekin region mills Week 16, ending 28 September 2024

Cane crushed	This week	Season to date
Invicta	147,063	1,686,241
Pioneer	76,592	782,611
Kalamia	72,725	922,346
Inkerman	79,050	1,026,332
Burdekin	375,431	4,417,530
CCS		
Invicta	14.90	14.19
Pioneer	14.60	14.25
Kalamia	14.23	13.83
Inkerman	14.48	13.96
Burdekin	14.46	14.07

Weekly variety performance for region

Variety	%	CCS	Variety	%	CCS
Q240	55%	14.81	Q208	8%	14.44
KQ228	16%	14.11	WSRA17	4%	14.04
Q183	11%	14.99	Q232	3%	14.12

Comments:

The Burdekin mills processed just over 375,000 tonnes of cane for the week, which was just over the budgeted weekly throughput.

Throughput at Pioneer, Invicta and Kalamia was impacted by a number of unplanned stops while Inkerman had an extended maintenance and clean.

The season-to-date total is now 4.42M tonnes. This represents 54% of the Burdekin region's total forecast crop of 8.20M tonnes.

The average weekly CCS was 14.62, which is still slightly below budget but improving with the ongoing dry conditions.

The highest CCS, of 17.3, was shared between a rake of Q183 1R in the Mulgrave (Invicta) productivity district and a rake of Q240 PL in the Lower Clare (Invicta) productivity district.

It is pleasing that there were no reports of collisions or near misses at cane rail crossings in the Burdekin over the school holiday period.

Remember to always use your train brain and give way to cane trains.

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