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SUNSHINE SUGAR

CRUSHING SEASON UPDATE

Week Ending: 27-September-2026

	Harwood	Broadwater	Condong	TOTALS
Commenced Crushing	23-June-2026	25-June-2026	22-June-2026	
Crushing Forecast (tonnes) *including intermill transfers*	460,000	430,000	430,000	1,320,000
Completed Crushing				
Cane crushed (tonnes for week)	28,842	29,840	6,136	64,817
Cane crushed (tonnes year to-date)	309,503	249,041	216,230	774,774
Average CCS (week)	13.01	12.61	12.10	12.74
Average CCS (year to-date)	11.98	11.54	11.60	11.74
Crushing Rate (tonnes/hr)	181	218	158	193
Crushing Rate (year to-date)	175	199	161	177

Comments

Harwood

Harwood Mill crushed 28,842 t of cane at 181 t/hr crushing rate. Budgeted tonnes was 24,440 t at 200 t/hr crush rate. Factory uptime actual was 159.15 hrs against a budget of 122 hrs.

Total lost time for the week was 9.68 hrs.
Major lost time issues were
- 6.4 hrs to repair the No 3 intermediate cane carrier and the scraper plate issue with No 1 Mill back roll.
- 1.6 hrs to complete a shredder tip change.
- 0.9 hrs to high juice.
- 0.8 hrs to cane supply (5 x heavy bins left on pads).

Cane analysis
- Avg CCS was 13.01 against a budget of 12.5.
- Avg cane purity was 86.32 against a budget of 85.9.
- Avg ash was 0.95 against a budget of 1.26.
- Avg fibre was 14.98 against a budget of 16.2.

Bin weight - Avg bin weight was 25.84 t

Broadwater

In Week 14 harvesting conditions were generally good resulting in an improved crushing program and better factory performance.
Significant unplanned production losses were attributed to a failed clutch on the No 1 boiler grate (5.6hrs), high vibration in the No1. boiler ID Fan requiring a stop for pressure cleaning (16.1 hours) and a failed mechanical seal on the No1 evaporator condensate pump (8 hrs).

We crushed 29,840 tons of Broadwater cane, and 1892 tons of Condong cane following the continuation of an unscheduled boiler outage at Condong.
CCS ranged from 9.28 to 15.35.
Broadwater crushed 29,840 tonnes (budget 26,832) over 137 hours at an average crush rate of 218 tph.
Broadwater has now crushed 249041 tonnes against a budget of 331,280 tonnes of cane.

Total lost time for the week was 31.2 hours (budget 39 hours) and included the following stops:
- Cane Supply – 1.92 hrs
- Cane Transport – 0.26 hrs
- Feeding Station – 0.45 hrs
- Evaporators – 8.06 hrs
- Boiler - 20.25 hours

Average Cane CCS was 12.61 (budget 12.0), cane purity 85.64 (budget 84.3), fibre 14.95 (budget 16.0) and ash improving again to 1.68%.
Average bin weight was 25.46 tonnes.

Condong

Crushed 6,136 tonnes for the week at an average rate of 158 tcph.
CBM Boiler tube repairs were completed late Thursday with the Mill supplied steam from approx. 0330hrs Friday.
It took approx. 12 hrs to clear cold stale product from the back end of the factory before crushing could resume.

CCS 12.1, budget 12.5
Cane purity 84.5%, budget 85.2%
Cane fibre was 13.9%, budget 14.9%
Ash was 1.8%, budget 1.7%
Av. Bin Weight 25.8t

Total stoppages for the week was 130 hrs. Major stops were:
- 130 hrs – CBM Boiler failure

Crushing rate reductions converted to equivalent lost time
- 1.8 hrs – Late start of crush limiting turn arounds
- 1.2 hrs – slow to process stale product through the Fugals
- 1.2 hrs – didn't fill all night stock bins

Forecast finish date is the 11th of December.