

Burdekin RVC Meeting 10th April 2018

Summary

- 23 Burdekin sugarcane industry stakeholders attended the meeting, including 4 voting members from PCGO, Kalagro, CBL and Wilmar.

Three Varieties reviewed for Release			
Variety	Previous status	RVC Decision 10 April 2018	Comments
QA04-1448 (QN80-4316 x Q173)	Max Prop	Discard	Smut intermediate - susceptible
KQ08-2180 (Q208 ^Ø x Tellus ^Ø)	Max Prop	Hold	Pending further smut results in May 2018
QA07-2330	Max Prop	Hold	Pending floc results released- if no change discard)

Two clones assessed for Maximum Propagation			
Clone	Previous status	RVC Decision 2018	Comments
KQ07-4897	Accelerate	Discard	
QS06-7324	Accelerate	Discard	Leaf scald rating of 8 exceeds RVC disease threshold rating.

Three clones assessed for Accelerated Status			
Clone	Previous status	RVC Decision 2018	Comments
QA10-1130	Tentative	Hold	Higher TCH, equal CCS, Smut intermediate-susceptible
QA09-1589	Tentative	Accelerate	Equal TCH, Equal CCS, good disease resistance, Fibre - 2.1 units.
QA09-1049	Tentative	Accelerate	Lower TCH, equal CCS, Smut intermediate-resistant

Review of the Burdekin Recommended Variety List

- 7 Blanket Release clones that all performed poorly in the Burdekin were reviewed
Q226^Ø, Q242^Ø, Q245^Ø, Q246^Ø, Q249^Ø, SRA1^Ø, SRA2^Ø
Decision: Remove all 7 clones from recommended list
- 2 clones Accelerated to Isolation plot in 2011 but poor germination and never followed up.
Q231^Ø & Q250^Ø
Decision: Keep these 2 clones on recommended list