

BANANA CONSIGNMENTS SENT FROM NORTH QUEENSLAND

25-October-2016

Week Number	42
Week Ending	Sunday 23 October 2016

MARKET	QLD	NSW	VIC	SA	WA	TAS
Total	133,464	136,492	140,745	24,862	40,401	11,160

Number of (cartons sent Week:	42	2016	487,124
Number of (cartons sent Week:	41	2016	565,304
Comparative Result:		decrease	-78,180

ABGC asked transport operators to provide consignment numbers in kilograms (rather than cartons) so that growers had a more accurate view on production levels. There were various responses e.g. some operators advised they do not count the number of kilograms. Consequently, the following kilogram figures and the chart of them, has been constructed by converting carton numbers advised by transport operators to kilograms by assuming 70% are 15 kg and 30% are 13 kg.

Number of kg* sent Week:	42	2016	7,014,586
Number of kg* sent Week:	41	2016	8,140,378

Comparative Result:

decrease -1,125,792

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Jim Pekin Chief Executive Officer

Figures supplied by: Blenners; J.A.T. Refrigerated Services; Lindsay Transport; QR National/Aurizon; Toll; S&K Transport; Nolan's; Bradco Transport; Todd's Transport