



## BANANA CONSIGNMENTS SENT FROM NORTH QUEENSLAND

21-February-2017

**Week Number**                    8  
**Week Ending**                    Sunday 26 February 2017

MARKET	QLD	NSW	VIC	SA	WA	TAS
<b>Total</b>	131,543	177,210	134,983	32,012	40,378	10,500

**Number of cartons sent Week:**                    8                    2017                    526,626

**Number of cartons sent Week:**                    7                    2017                    483,707

**Comparative Result:**                    increase                    42,919

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:**                    8                    2017                    7,583,414

**Number of kg\* sent Week:**                    7                    2017                    6,965,381

**Comparative Result:**                    increase                    618,034

**Jim Pekin**  
Chief Executive Officer

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