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## Foreword

This Japanese Industrial Standard has been revised by the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry through deliberations at the Japanese Industrial Standards Committee as the result of proposal for revision of Japanese Industrial Standard submitted by Japan Down Products Corporate Association (JDFA)/Japanese Standards Association (JSA) with a draft being attached, based on the provision of Article 12, paragraph (1) of the Industrial Standardization Act applied mutatis mutandis pursuant to the provision of Article 16 of the said Act. This edition replaces the previous edition (**JIS L 0216** : 2016), which has been technically revised.

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## Glossary of terms used in feathers

### 1 Scope

This Japanese Industrial Standard specifies glossary of terms related to down and feather intended for filled manufactured articles.

### 2 Normative references

There are no normative references in this Standard.

### 3 Terms and definitions

#### 3.1 General

Terms given in this Standard are classified into those related to names of down and feather and those related to tests. Equivalent terms in English are also shown for information. For Japanese terms that can be easily misread, their readings are shown in attached parentheses.

#### 3.2 Terms related to names of down and feather

The definitions of terms related to names of down and feather are as follows.

##### a) General (names of down and feather)

No.	Japanese term	Definition	English equivalent (informative)
101	羽毛	upper skin structures of fowls covering fowl body surface, which are taken to be used as filler for filled manufactured articles such as bedding or clothing articles Note 1 to entry It is the generic term for down, feather and fibre.	down and feather, plumage
102	原羽毛	down and feather yet to be given washing and refining process	unwashed down and feather, raw down and feather
103	精製羽毛	down and feather which have been given washing and refining process	washed down and feather, refined down and feather
104	水鳥羽毛 (みずとりうもう)	down and feather taken from waterfowl (ducks, geese, etc.)	waterfowl down and feather
105	陸鳥羽毛 (りくちょううもう)	feather taken from landfowl (chickens, turkeys etc.)	landfowl feather