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修线头机

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1 Scope

QB/T 8196-2026 is the light industry standard for the thread trimming machine, a machine used in the sewing and garment trades to remove loose thread ends from finished work. The document deals with this machine as a product and sets out the technical provisions that apply to it, so that makers and users share one reference for what a thread trimming machine of this type is expected to be.

The standard is relevant to manufacturers of thread trimming machines, to garment and textile processing plants that buy and operate them, to test laboratories and inspection bodies that assess the machines, and to purchasers who need a recognised technical basis for supply contracts. It is a voluntary standard, as shown by the /T in its code, and its use is a matter of agreement between the parties unless a contract or regulation refers to it. It was approved and issued by the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology on 13 February 2026 and takes effect on 1 September 2026. It is a new document and does not replace an earlier edition.