Perishables are cargoes demanding observance of certain modes or conditions of transportation (maintenance of necessary temperature, humidity, and also performance of corresponding sanitaryand-hygienic requirements)

Perishables are subdivided into following groups:

- Phytogenesis products: fruit, berries, vegetables, mushrooms, etc.;
- Products of an animal origin: meat of various animals and birds, fish, caviar, milk, eggs, etc.;
- Processing products: dairy products, fats the various, frozen fruits, sausage products and other meat products, cheeses, etc.;
- Live plants: saplings, flowers, etc.