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<u>Домашнее задание</u>

Задание 1. Выполните задания по видам транспорта

1. Fill in the table by matching the type of transport with its appropriate characteristics. Discuss the table.

Road/ Pipeline/ Air/ Sea/ Rail

Type of	Characteristics
transportation	
1.	a) Although it is considered as expensive, it offers long-distance transportation in short time periods.b) It depends heavily on weather conditions and delays schedule deviations may occur.
2.	a) It offers the ability to carry large quantities of commodities (.000 tones) using specialized cargo ships.
	b) It offers low flexibility in determining routes and schedules.
	c) Depends on weather conditions.
3.	a) It is considered as a slow transport mode.
	b) Low cost materials and Raw Materials are usually transferred.
	c) Weather conditions do not influence this type of transport.
	d) Many stops in local areas can be made in order to load / unload commodities.
4.	a) Offers lower capacity and quantity capabilities.
	b) Advantage of this type of transport is the ability to offer door-to-door services and the existence of many different and specialised vehicles.
	c) Weather conditions do not influence this type of transport.
5.	a) Used to transport Liquids and Gases (i.e. Oil, Natural Gas).
	b) Although transportation is slow, the ability to operate 24 hours a day makes it an efficient transportation mode of these product types.
	c) It offers a specific network with specific stops, intersections, etc.
	d) Weather conditions do not influence this transport type and limited

technical problems may occur.

2. Make a list of different factors that can influence the choice of transport method (TM) for a shipment. Complete the diagram and discuss in pairs.

