I'll provide a high-level overview of how the Trimble Cars application could be structured, focusing on the backend API using Java, Spring Boot.

### **Database Design**

database schema

- Car: Represents a car registered by the car owner.
- User: Represents both car owners and end customers.
- Lease: Represents a lease agreement between a car owner and an end customer.

#### **API Endpoint**

- POST /cars Register a new car (Car Owner)
- GET /cars View available cars for lease (End Customer)
- POST /leases- Start a new lease (End Customer)
- PUT /leases/{leaseId} End a lease (End Customer)
- GET /leases/history- View lease history (Car Owner and End Customer)

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Example Code

Car entity

@Entity

public class Car {

    @Id
    @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.IDENTITY)
    private Long id;

private String make;
    private String model;
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private String status; // Ideal, OnLease, OnService
  @OneToMany(mappedBy = "car")
  private List<Lease> leases;
  // Getters and setters
}
And here's an example of how the Lease service could be implemented:
@Service
public class LeaseService {
  @Autowired
  private LeaseRepository leaseRepository;
  public Lease startLease(Car car, User customer) {
    Lease lease = new Lease(car, customer);
    return leaseRepository.save(lease);
  }
  public void endLease(Long leaseld) {
    Lease lease = leaseRepository.findById(leaseId).orElseThrow();
    lease.setEndDate(LocalDateTime.now());
    leaseRepository.save(lease);
  }
}
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# **Testing**

Unit tests would be written using JUnit to test the service layer. Functional testing of the APIs could be automated using Postman or a similar tool.

### Logging

Proper log statements would be added throughout the application to track important events, such as lease starts and ends.

## **Optional Steps**

Integrating with a 3rd party authentication service, such as Okta, could be done using Spring Security. Integrating with a portal like Auto Car or Overdrive would require API calls to fetch car models and variants.