# SC2006 TransitEase

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## Introduction

### **About TransitEase**

#### Aim

- Reduce urban congestion, fuel waste and emissions
- Smoother mobility and reducing environmental impacts

#### Vision

TransitEase simplifies finding available parking spaces in real time, helping users save time and reduce city congestion.







### **Solution Overview**

TransitEase empowers users with instant access to parking availability, supporting better parking decisions in real-time



#### **Unique Selling Points**

- Real-time parking availability.
- Car and motorcycle lot indicators.
- User-friendly map and list views for easy navigation.





## **Key Features**

- Live Data on Available Lots: Displays updated car and motorcycle lot availability.
- Intuitive UI: Clean, easy-to-navigate map and list views.
- Personalization: Ability to filter based on user vehicle preferences.







#### **Technical Overview**

- Firebase Integration: For real-time data storage and authentication.
- Geolocation Services: For displaying car parks relative to user's location.
- Flutter Framework: Cross-platform compatibility.
- Firestore Database: Robust backend to handle data scaling.





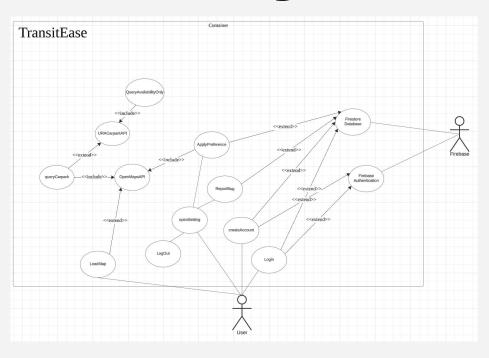






# Use Case Diagram

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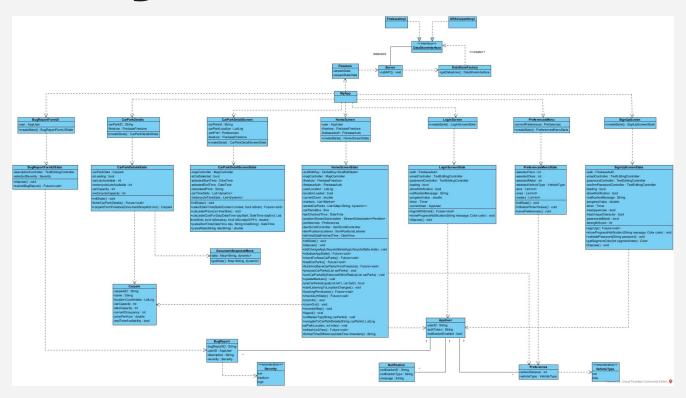
#### **Overview**

- Interaction between users, API and Firebase for managing parking solutions
- Query carparks through APIs
- Firebase provides backend support to handle account creation, login, bug reporting and settings
- Dependencies and extensions indicated by <<include>> and <<exclude>> relationship



## **Class Diagram**

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#### Core

The app integrates Firebase and URA Carpark API for data storage and real-time carpark data retrieval, respectively.

#### Main Classes

There are main screens for Login, SignUp, Home, CarParkDetails, BugReport and Preferences, each with a corresponding state class for managing user interactions.

#### **Entity Classes**

Essential entity classes include Carpark, BugReport, AppUser and Preferences.

#### **Controllers**

The app uses controllers to handle user inputs and data updates.

#### **Enumerations**

The VehicleType and Severity enumerations allow users to customise their Preferences and BugReports, respectively.

#### Setup

The app is designed to have streamlined functionality for user authentication, parking data management and personalized preferences.



## Core Technologies

## **Core Technology**

- Docker For Back-End Computing and Data Updates
- FireStore & Firebase
  - FireBaseAuth: Login
  - FireStore: Data Collection Containing Carpark Data
- Flutter: Mobile Application

## Challenges

- Government URA API
  - a. Requires Constant Renewal of token every **24 hours**
  - b. Output of request of car parks and available lots are usually **ALL** car parks given as a response.
  - c. Coordinates of all car parks returned are in SVY21 rather than the common WGS84
  - d. Requires heavy computation of data
- Firebase
  - a. Limited Read and Write to database with free tier.
  - b. Application cannot keep Reading and Writing from database.

#### Solutions

- Implemented a Docker with Python and cronjobs as external API controller.
  - Advantages
    - Allows for changes should there be any updates on API policy
    - Allows for any other implementation in the future without disrupting front end.
- Implemented Geocaching
  - This is a technique to allow conversion of Longitude and Latitude to a hash
  - Allowing for creation of a hashmap for lookup
- Flutter
  - Stores the hashmap containing all the carparksIDs and their respective hashes.
  - This allows only specific carparks data to be pulled greatly reducing number of reads and writes.



# Application Demo



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## Conclusion

- Users will be able to find car parks more easily -> Reduce congestion on commonly used carparks.
- Users will be able to find car parks that suit their needs with ease
- Facilitate smoother mobility and reducing environmental impacts by cutting down on fuel wasted on finding car parks.

# Thank You!