

## Useful prompts for software design and development

Estimated time needed: **20** minutes

### Objectives

After completing this reading, you will be able to:

- Describe legacy code modernization using generative
- Explain IBM watsonx Code Assistant for Z

### Software Design Prompts

- Design a modernization plan for a legacy monolithic application to transition to a microservices architecture. Include considerations for scalability, resilience, and seamless deployment processes.
- Propose an architecture for a high-traffic social media application that can handle millions of concurrent users. Outline the database, server, and caching strategies that will ensure optimal performance.
- Generate a secure software architecture for an online trading system. Highlight how you would incorporate encryption, authentication, and audit logging to safeguard user transactions and data privacy.
- Create a blueprint for a cloud-native SaaS application tailored for the healthcare industry. Discuss how to utilize cloud services for compliance with health data regulations, data analytics, and interoperability with other systems.
- Draft an IoT-enabled smart home system architecture. Explain how various smart devices will communicate with each other and the cloud, ensuring low latency and high data throughput, while maintaining user privacy

### Coding Prompts

- I'm in the process of developing a JavaScript web application and need guidance on implementing a secure login function that utilizes JWT (JSON Web Tokens). Please include comments within the code for clarity.
- I have a dataset in CSV format that holds sales data from the past year. Using R, could you script an analysis to predict next month's sales? Provide a step-by-step explanation of the approach.
- I'm developing a mobile app using Flutter. Can you assist me in writing Dart code for a custom animated splash screen that aligns with my app's theme and smoothly transitions to the homepage?
- Please help me construct a SQL query to retrieve all records from a 'users' table where the 'last\_login' is older than six months and elaborate on how indexes could optimize this query for a large database.
- "I'm getting a 'SyntaxError: invalid syntax' in my Python code. Can you help me figure out what's causing it?"
- "My Python script is giving me an 'IndexError: list index out of range'. What could be the issue here?"
- "I'm encountering a 'NameError: name 'some\_variable' is not defined' in my Python code. How can I address this?"
- "My Python program is throwing a 'KeyError' when working with dictionaries. Any suggestions on how to fix this?"
- "I'm seeing a 'TypeError: unsupported operand type(s) for +: 'int' and 'str' while working with variables in Python. How can I resolve this?"



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