Chapter number	Software required (with version)	Free/Proprietary	If proprietary, can code testing be performed using a trial version	If proprietary, then cost of the software	Download links to the software	Hardware specifications	OS required
All chapters	OpenJDK 8 or later (JDK 9 in Chapter 3)	Free			http:// openjdk. java.net/ install/	Any PC where OpenJDK may run	Windows or Linux or MacOS
Chapter 10	Docker Engine 18.06 or later	Free			https:// docs. docker. com/ install/	Any PC where Docker Engine may run	Windows or Linux or MacOS
All chapters	IntelliJ IDEA Community Edition 2017.1 or later	Free			https:// www. jetbrains. com/idea/ download/		Windows or Linux or MacOS

Detailed installation steps (software-wise):

- 1. Install *OpenJDK 8* or later (Chapter 3 requires *OpenJDK 9*):
 - 1. Download and install according to the official documentation: [http://openjdk.java.net/install].
- 2. Install *IntelliJ IDEA Community Edition* 2017.1 or later to run examples from IDE:
 - 1. Download and install according to the official documentation: [https://www.jetbrains.com/idea/download].
- 3. Install *Docker Engine 18.06* or later for examples with microservices (required only for Chapter 10):
 - 1. Download and install according to the official documentation: [https://docs.docker.com/install].