Chapter Conclusion

In this lesson, we'll formally conclude this chapter with some notes regarding migration.

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- Migration to microservices is the typical approach for the introduction of microservices. Implementing a completely new system with microservices is the exception, but of course, it is also possible.
- One of the most important advantages of microservices is that they work well for scenarios other than greenfield projects.
- Choosing the **right migration strategy** is a complex task. It **depends on the legacy system and migration goals**. This chapter shows a starting point from which each project must develop its own strategy.
- Because of the benefits of migration, microservices should be considered in any project meant to modernize a legacy system. Microservices enable step-by-step modernization, in which completely different technologies can be used. This is very helpful.
- The migration strategy can have a significant impact on the architecture and technology selection. A split into microservices similar to the split of the modules in the legacy system can greatly simplify migration. Such a compromise has far-reaching consequences and can lead to a worse target architecture, but it can still make sense.
- Finally, it must be possible to actually implement the architecture, and for this, a simple approach for the migration into the architecture is essential.

In the next chapter, we'll discuss Docker!