

# JAVA JDK 13

The standard Java 8 JRE installation causes frequent blu-screens on my development machine. Sometimes after minutes, sometimes after several hours. I therefore decided to install the Java JDK 13, with which Eclipse 2019-12 is compatible with.

## Installation

- Download and install [Java JDK 13](#)
- Now open the Command Prompt to confirm the (previous) Java version:

```
java -version
```

- Right Click → My Computer(This PC) → Properties → Advanced System Settings. Click on *Environment Variables*, select *Path* under System Variables section and click Edit.
- Remove the path of previously installed JDK. Also, update JAVA\_HOME in case it's already set. Now click on New Button and add the path to installed JDK. On Windows 10 64 bit this should be something like:

```
C:\Program Files\Java\jdk-13.0.2\bin
```

- Open the Command Prompt again to confirm:

```
java -version
```

## Links

- [How To Install Java 13 On Windows](#)
- [JDK 13 Documentation](#)

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