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## Setting the Runtime Java Environment

The version of Java used to compile REEF is controlled in the Maven pom.xml file in the build plugins section under the maven-compiler-plugin artifact identifier. In order to run REEF applications, you must set the JAVA\_HOME environment variable to the correct Java installation directory for your operating system and java version.

On Windows, the JAVA\_HOME environment variable is set by the Java installer to \$SYSTEM\_DRIVE\Program Files\Java\jdk[version number]. You can examine the value of JAVA\_HOME on Windows by entering the following command in a PowerShell console window.

### PowerShell command to view JAVA\_HOME

```
$env:JAVA_HOME
```

## Compiling

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