LoginCookieDomain

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Learn how to use the LoginCookieDomain config.txt directive to specify the domain EZproxy should use when setting a session cookie during login. 

**LoginCookieDomain** specifies the domain that EZproxy should use when setting its session cookie during login. The **DomainName** behavior is the default behavior as it has the widest compatibility across all browsers. When using any of the other options, be sure to test a variety of browsers on a variety of operating systems to insure the session cookie successfully.

*If Option SafariCookiePatch is present in config.txt, its behavior overrides the LoginCookieDomain behavior for users who are accessing with the Safari browser.*

**Qualifiers**

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<td>Default</td>
<td>When Default is specified, the behavior is the DomainName behavior described below.</td>
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<td>DomainName</td>
<td>If the EZproxy server name is its IP address, then use the IP address; for hostnames, use everything from the first period to the end of the hostname (e.g., for ezproxy.yourlib.org, use .yourlib.org).</td>
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<td>HostName</td>
<td>If the EZproxy server name is its IP address, then use the IP address; for hostnames, use a period followed by the complete server name (e.g., for ezproxy.yourlib.org, use .ezproxy.yourlib.org).</td>
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<td>Manual name</td>
<td>Use the name provided for the domain when setting the cookie.</td>
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<td>None</td>
<td>The cookie should be set without specifying a domain.</td>
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**Syntax**

```
LoginCookieDomain Default | DomainName | HostName | Manual name | None
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**Examples**

Direct EZproxy to set its session cookie in the ezproxy.yourlib.org domain.

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LoginCookieDomain Manual ezproxy.yourlib.org
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Direct EZproxy not to specify a domain when setting its session cookie.

- LoginCookieDomain None

Related directives

- LoginCookieName
- Name
- Option SafariCookiePatch