

# Session cookie configuration

See *overview of Sessions* in eZ Platform before you read this.

Symfony offers the possibility to change many session options at application level (i.e. in Symfony [framework configuration](#)), such as:

- `cookie_domain`
- `cookie_path`
- `cookie_lifetime`
- `cookie_secure`
- `cookie_httponly`

However as eZ Platform can be used for setting up several web sites within on Symfony application, session configuration is also possible to define per siteaccess and SiteGroup level.

## Session options per siteaccess

All site-related session configuration can be defined per siteaccess and SiteGroup:

```
ezplatform.yml
ezpublish:
  system:
    my_siteaccess:
      session:
        # By default Session name is eZSESSID{siteaccess_hash}
        # with setting below you'll get eZSESSID{name},
        # allowing you to share sessions across SiteAccess
        name: my_session_name
        # These are optional.
        # If not defined they will fallback to Symfony framework
configuration,
        # which itself fallback to default php.ini settings
        cookie_domain: mydomain.com
        cookie_path: /foo
        cookie_lifetime: 86400
        cookie_secure: false
        cookie_httponly: true
```

## Session name per siteaccess

In 5.x versions prior to 5.3 / 2014.03 the following siteaccess aware session setting where available:

```
ezplatform.yml
ezpublish:
  system:
    my_siteaccess:
      # By default Session name is eZSESSID{siteaccess_hash}
      # with setting below you'll get eZSESSID{name},
      # allowing you to share sessions across SiteAccess
      # This setting is deprecated as of 5.3
      session_name: my_session_name
```