

Cookie Confusion – How to Set a Cookie

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Hi –

I am trying my hand at python cookies. I'm confused about a few things though. Do the python cookies get written to a cookies text file? I have simple code below -- I see the cookie in my HTTP header but do not get anything in the cookie text file. I'm working on linux.

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print "Content-type: text/html"
cookie = Cookie.SimpleCookie()
cookie["Test"] = 'abc'
print cookie
print
```

Are there rules about where in the header the set cookie line should be?

Thanks in advance!
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