Firefox Enabling and Disabling cookies

Cookies are stored on your computer by websites you visit and contain information such as site preferences or log in status. This article describes how to enable and disable cookies in Firefox.

How do I change Cookie settings?

Note: Cookies are enabled by default in Firefox.

To check or change your settings:

- 1. At the top of the Firefox window, click on the Tools menu and select Options...
- 1. Select the Privacy panel.
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1. Check mark **Accept cookies from sites** to enable Cookies, and uncheck it to disable them.

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- If you are troubleshooting problems with cookies, make sure **Accept third party cookies** is also check marked.
- 2. Choose how long cookies are allowed to be stored:
 - Keep until: **they expire**: Each cookie will be removed when it reaches its expiration date, which is set by the site that sent the cookie.
 - Keep until: I close Firefox: The cookies that are stored on your computer will be removed when Firefox is closed.
 - Keep until: **ask me every time**: Displays an alert every time a website tries to send a cookie, and asks you whether or not you want to store it.
- 3. Click OK to close the Options window