#### Cookie

Cookies are an easy way to store stateful information into the user browser. Thus, it is more useful for browser-based navigation (e.g. a front-end app making API requests) rather than pure API interaction.

### Configuration

```
from fastapi_users.authentication import CookieTransport
cookie_transport = CookieTransport(cookie_max_age=3600)
```

As you can see, instantiation is quite simple. It accepts the following arguments:

- cookie\_name (fastapiusersauth): Name of the cookie.
- cookie\_max\_age (Optional[int]): The lifetime of the cookie in seconds. None by default, which means it's a session cookie.
- cookie\_path ( / ): Cookie path.
- cookie\_domain (None): Cookie domain.
- cookie\_secure (True): Whether to only send the cookie to the server via SSL request.
- cookie\_httponly (True): Whether to prevent access to the cookie via JavaScript.
- cookie\_samesite (lax): A string that specifies the samesite strategy for the cookie. Valid values are lax, strict and none. Defaults to lax.

## Login

This method will return a response with a valid set-cookie header upon successful login:

```
✓ 204 No content
```

Check documentation about login route.

# Logout

This method will remove the authentication cookie:



Check documentation about logout route.

#### Authentication

This method expects that you provide a valid cookie in the headers.