

Search Token Authentication

Search tokens are special JSON web tokens (see <https://jwt.io/>) which can be used to execute queries and send usage analytics events as a specific user. They are intended to be used in JavaScript code running in a web browser, typically along with the Coveo JavaScript Search Framework (see [Coveo JavaScript Search Framework Home](#)).

By default, a search token automatically expires after 24 hours (see the `validFor` property).

You can generate search tokens in server-side code by calling a REST service exposed through the Coveo Cloud platform (see [Requesting a Search Token](#)).