

# HTTP Cache Awareness

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VIVO adds headers to some HTTP responses, to assist in caching profile pages. Since release 1.6.

## Overview

VIVO doesn't cache, but it helps to support caching.

## How to enable cache awareness

What runtime properties are used to control it? Can it be controlled in developer mode?

## What pages can be cached?

Only works on profile pages, and only if you are not logged in.

## What do the caching headers look like?

Show a simple request with a cacheable response. Show a conditional request with a current ETag. Show a conditional request with a stale ETag.

## How to configure your cache

It's up to you to insure that you don't cache something without an ETag. You should assume that all pages are stale.