

Browser X

Server A

GET /login.php

Enter your username & password

POST /login.php?un=steve&pw=...

Authenticate user

... Welcome **Steve** ...

Session info stored

Set-Cookie: user_name=steve;
Set-Cookie: id_hash=41f4178...

user_name=steve
id_hash=41f4178...

Cookies are stored

GET /results.php

Cookie compared against
session info. Assume
logged in if match.

Cookie:user_name=steve;id_hash=..

Steve's results are ...