

Configuring Cocoon

There are 4 main places in which Cocoon is configured:

- **sitemap.xmap** – the [Sitemap](#). By default, located in `$CATALINA_HOME/webapps/cocoon` directory.
- **cocoon.xconf** – configuration file containing [Logicsheet](#) registrations. Specifies, `sitemap.xmap` location and other such parameters. By default, located in `$CATALINA_HOME/webapps/cocoon/WEB-INF` directory.
- **web.xml** – servlet deployment descriptor. Specifies location of `cocoon.xconf`, log file location, caching configuration, and other such parameters. Located in `$CATALINA_HOME/webapps/cocoon/WEB-INF` directory.
- **cocoon.roles** – mapping file for core Cocoon component names and implementation classes. For example, if you want to use a parser other than the default one, you need to modify this file.

Logging level is set in the `web.xml` file.

Java files (including `sitemap_xmap.java`) are stored in
`$CATALINA_HOME/webapps/work/localhost_8080%2Fcocoon/org/apache/cocoon/www`

Caching

Caching in Cocoon is configured using [Avalon](#) components defined in `cocoon.xconf`

See [Caching](#)

Database Connections

See [ConnectionPooling](#)