
Subject: How do I know that Bayes is working?

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Hi!

When we had the previous version installed I ALWAYS received SOME emails that were detected by the Bayes filter. Now, after we installed the new version I NEVER see that the Bayes finds messages (in the "tests=..." header)

So, I checked in the local.cf file and found these lines:

```
#General configuration
bayes_auto_learn      1
bayes_auto_learn_threshold_nonspam -1.0
bayes_path            db\bayes
report_contact        your mail administrator
use_bayes             1
auto_whitelist_path  db\awl
```

It seems to be correct, right? So I changed the action of the spamassassin from "reject/delete" to "reject/redirect" and redirected all the spam messages to a specific address and tried to search this mailbox for messages detected by the Bayes filter but found none...

Looking forward to read your response,
Yuval.
