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Subject: lots of spamassassin.exe causes cpu 100%

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Hi,

We have upgrade our NST to version 3.2.1.2 and since then the CPU load of the mailserver reaches 100%. When I check the processes running, it seems that several spamassassin.exe processes (>10) are consuming a lot CPU time.

Our overall configuration of the NST has not been changed since the previous version. I took screenshots before the upgrade and compared it with the configuration afterwards.

These are the filters :

- Mail Storage
- Blacklist
- Attachment Filter
- DNSBL Filter
- Delay Filter
- Spamassassin

I have already decreased the simultaneous connections but that does not seem to help.

What could be causing this ?

Thank you,  
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