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Subject: FirstClass mail server

Posted by [akoski](#) on Tue, 24 Aug 2004 06:08:52 GMT

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Hello!

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Posted by [support](#) on Tue, 24 Aug 2004 13:24:16 GMT

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The "Restrict Spam Checking" feature in the Admin wizard lets you define the set of recipient addresses you want to be included in the spam check.

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Since NoSpamToday! works as a transparent SMTP proxy it can not tell which recipient addresses are aliases and which are not.

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Subject: Re: FirstClass mail server

Posted by [mgb2010](#) on Fri, 17 Sep 2004 11:25:42 GMT

We also run firstclass, we have all of our addresses listed in 'recipient domains' and 'restrict spam checking', this way any unknown users are rejected by NST. If you only list the users in 'restrict spam checking' then first class will reject the unknown users (unless you have setup an account with a wildcard). Provided you have sufficient licenses for each address listed in NST, we have found this very effective.

MGB

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