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Posted by [nickvn](#) on Fri, 09 Mar 2007 06:52:59 GMT

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I have this problem;

Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:32 Session 2: Connection from 218.53.105.174 accepted on 192.168.6.3:25  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:32 Session 2: 220 mail.gerowifi.com.au ESMTP Merak 8.0.3; Fri, 09 Mar 2007 15:37:47 +0900

Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:32 Session 2: HELO hxwpaaixjp.com

Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:32 Session 2: 250 mail.gerowifi.com.au Hello hxwpaaixjp.com [192.168.6.3], pleased to meet you.

Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:32 Session 2: MAIL From:

Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:32 Session 2: 250 2.1.0 ... Sender ok

Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:33 Session 2: RCPT TO:

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Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:38 Session 2: DATA  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:38 Session 2: 354 Start mail input; end with .  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:38 Session 2: Received end of data, mail size 2kB  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:38 Session 2: (Spam Trap) No action  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:38 Session 2: Incoming mail action: accept/deliver  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:40 Session 2: 250 2.6.0 1293 bytes received in 00:00:01; Message accepted for delivery  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:41 Session 2: QUIT  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:41 Session 2: 221 2.0.0 mail.gerowifi.com.au closing connection  
Mar 09, 2007, 15:38:41 Session 2: Connection from 218.53.105.174 closed

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It looks like your mail server considers the IP address NoSpamToday! uses as trusted and thus accepts all recipient addresses for relaying without checking.

To avoid this behaviour you can either

- change your mail server's configuration to consider NST's IP address not as trusted

or

- change your mail server's configuration to allow relaying only for SMTP AUTH connections

or

- use the Open Relay Protection in NST to explicitly specify the list of recipient addresses/domains you want to accept mail for.