

Re: Mail messages won't leave queue

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- *From:* Freeman Stokes <jlamerso@xxxxxxx>
 - *Date:* Tue, 27 Mar 2007 16:17:05 -0700
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Thanks for replying Steve! The messages aren't even posting to the BadMail directory. At this point I'm really confused on the whole thing. I tried using the SMTPDiag tool, but when I try to run the application a command prompt window briefly flashes on the screen and goes away. I would really like to start from scratch because I think that my settings may be screwed up now. I'm not sure what to set for settings such as

Delivery-Advanced:
Masquerade domain
Fully-qualified domain name
Smart Host

Default Virtual SMTP Server-Domains

Can you please be very detailed if you include instructions because I'm fairly new at this.

Thanks

"Steve Schofield" wrote:

This sounds like a DNS issue. You can use SMTPDiag to troubleshoot sending email from your server.

<http://weblogs.asp.net/steveschofield/archive/2006/09/25/SMTPDiag-2D00-troubleshooting-email-issues>.

You might want to verify if your internet provider allows having a mail server. From what you are describing, that is the common reasons email doesn't relay. If they are ending up in the badmail folder, please post the error listed.

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Thank you,

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"Freeman Stokes" <jlamerso@xxxxxxx> wrote in message
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Hey Guys,

I am testing my smtp service on my windows server 2003 machine. I drop a mail message in the "Pickup" directory under mailroot, however every mail message that I have sent gets stuck in the queue. Has anyone had or heard of this problem before? Please advise.

Main Problem:
Mail will not leave queue.