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"shovem" <shovem@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:B4F31D72-C35A-4932-B378-95A8947B32CB@microsoft.com...  
> *I would really like to be able to categorize junk email with wildcards.*  
> *Where this is really getting to be a pain is the spammers new trick is*  
> *to use*  
> *third level domains so the email will come from*  
> *junk@send.lotsofjunk.com.*  
> *Then when I block that email, I get a piece of spam from*  
> *spam@fullof.lotsofjunk.com and that one comes into my inbox. Ideally,*  
> *I*  
> *would be able to either block the root domain lotsofjunk.com and*  
> *anything*  
> *that comes from that domain would be blocked. Or I could block all*  
> *third*  
> *level domains with @\*.lotsofjunk.com (\* being the wildcard).*

Do you really have to use the "@[hostname.]domain.tld[.cctld]" syntax to specify a domain to block? Couldn't you just specify "domain.tld"?

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