

## Re: Exchange 2003: users getting 10–12 copies of each inbound message

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- *From:* "Shw4n" <[sysadmin@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:sysadmin@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>
  - *Date:* 26 Jun 2006 10:10:40 –0700
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Thanks for your response Cris.

No we are not using pop3 nor are the messages being sent BCC. Since I posted this topic I have rebooted our firewall. This appears to have cleared up our exchange issues (SMTP). There are still a few duplicates coming in, but they all appear to be from messages originating before I rebooted our firewall.

Something must have corrupted a script in the firewall that triggered an NDR to be sent even though the message was successfully delivered.

I'll post a reply if the situation changes.

Thanks again,  
Shwan

Cris Hanna (SBS–MVP) wrote:

are you using the pop3 connector and are mails being sent via BCC??

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Cris Hanna [SBS–MVP]

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Hello,

We are running a SBS Standard/Exchange 2003 on the same box. Exchange was behaving as expected while I was away on vacation last week... until Thursday. I received complaints that everyone was receiving 10+ copies of every email that was being sent to them from outside the network. The senders were also complaining about receiving repeated NDRs for each message they are sending to my companies users.

Somehow our system is sending out NDRs even though the messages were successfully sent. I had a fellow employee restart the Exchange IS

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I had them reboot the server after hours... no fix

This problem is still occurring and I would appreciate any feedback.

Thank you for taking the time to read my post,  
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