

## **MELISSA VIRUS:**

International attention was given to a new WORD macro virus being spread through e-mail. The IT office responded rapidly and successfully blocked the Melissa virus on the main IFAS e-mail server. E-mail continued to flow unobstructed. Only one reported case was detected and cleaned. It occurred on the first day of the infection and before the filter was added to the mail server. Users were immediately notified of the virus threat and later received a follow-up message answering frequently asked questions about the virus.

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