Subject: What is this e-mail? Says it's from AK . . . Posted by spreegem on Fri, 16 Apr 2004 01:04:28 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I got a couple e-mails one says it is from AK and the other one says it is user info . . .

They both have the same attachment on them, they are written in German I think . . . the

"Norton AntiVirus hat folgenden Anhang entfernt: pass-message.pif. Der Anhang enthielt die Bedrohung W32.Sober.F@mm."

What does that mean? This is just a text document so I had no worries of viruses. I just wanted to know

- 1. Why did both e-mails have the same attachment?
- 2. Did anyone else recieve these e-mails?
- 3. Why did I recieve these?
- 4. Is it truely from AK?

Subject: What is this e-mail? Says it's from AK . . . Posted by bigejoe14 on Fri, 16 Apr 2004 01:09:00 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Heil Aircraftkiller!

Subject: What is this e-mail? Says it's from AK . . . Posted by Aircraftkiller on Fri, 16 Apr 2004 01:12:25 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

It's just a virus copying my name from someone's address book who got infected.

Subject: Re: What is this e-mail? Says it's from AK . . . Posted by Fabian on Fri, 16 Apr 2004 01:27:53 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

## spreegem

"Norton AntiVirus hat folgenden Anhang entfernt: pass-message.pif. Der Anhang enthielt die Bedrohung W32.Sober.F@mm."

What does that mean?

Norton anti-virus has removed the following attachment: passport message.pif. The attachment

Subject: What is this e-mail? Says it's from AK . . . Posted by MrBob on Fri, 16 Apr 2004 01:30:32 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Aircraftkiller is right, the the "From" field has been forged. I remember when I got emails claiming to be from Dante and that "s8muk" (however you spell his name) guy during that huge virus outbreak.

The attached file is a text file. It was not originally in the email. You see, when someone has Norton Antivirus set to detect his or her email, it deletes any malicious attachment and replaces it with a message saying the file was deleted. That also explains the German message. It's saying, "Norton Antivirus deleted the file: pass-message.pif It was infected with the virus W32.Sober.F@mm."

Subject: What is this e-mail? Says it's from AK . . . Posted by z310 on Fri, 16 Apr 2004 04:56:21 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

And yeah that looks german..

Subject: What is this e-mail? Says it's from AK . . . Posted by IRON FART on Fri, 16 Apr 2004 05:06:51 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Yea it is just a virus.

It's really easy for an email to be sent under another email adress.