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## WM97/Opey-BC

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### Type

Word 97 macro virus

### Detection

A virus identity file (IDE) file which provides protection is available now from the Latest virus identities section, and will be incorporated into the September 2002 (3.61) release of Sophos Anti-Virus.

At the time of writing Sophos has received just one report of this virus from the wild.

### Description

WM97/Opey-BC changes the Microsoft Word application user information to the following:

UserName = Alcopaul

UserAddress = #09193612618

UserInitials = PGA

It also sets the File Properties information for infected files as follows:

Author = Alcopaul

Keywords = #09193612618

Subject = Twice in a row of filing leave of absence.

Comments = Year 2000 sucks!! Seems like the Y2K bug has infected me.

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On 26 February the virus may password protect infected documents with the password "Paul Glenerson B. Amurao" and on 25 February it will attempt to add the line "echo Today is the last day of filing leave of absence.." to C:\autoexec.bat.

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