

# The Sentry-go Performance Monitor Wizard

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This guide gives full details of how you can use the Performance Monitor Wizard to quickly & easily configure settings for Sentry-go performance monitoring on your local or remote server.

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# Running the Wizard

You can access the Wizard either when prompted by Setup, or from the Performance monitoring configuration tab.

The Wizard will save details to the monitor's configuration file directly. Any unsaved work will be lost when you run the Wizard. Always save any configured updates before running the Wizard.

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Sentry-go Monitoring Settings Configuring settings made easy!							
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Sentry-go allows you to monitor both hardware & software performance on your server							
	The following performance thresholds are currently defined						
	Perf. Check Name	Threshold	Action	No. Errors	Alert Group		
	Available memory	500000	No Response - Alert Only	1	Critical Errors		
	CPU Usage	80	No Response - Alert Only	3	Critical Errors		
	No. Recent Internal Serv	0	No Response - Alert Only	1	Critical Errors		
	No. Recent Suspect Acc	0	No Response - Alert Only	1	Critical Errors		
	No. Recent Suspect Log	0	No Response - Alert Only	1	Critical Errors		
	No. Running processes	0	No Response - Alert Only	1	Critical Errors		
	Paging file(s) - % used	75	No Response - Alert Only	1	Critical Errors		
	Registry Database - % us	80	No Response - Alert Only	1	Critical Errors		
	Optimiser . Choose Serve	er Role(s)		Delete Add	Edit		
By default, run these checks every 30 seconds					s every 30 seconds		
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# Selecting the type of performance monitoring

The Wizard's first screen allows you to select the type of monitoring you wish to configure.

Sentry-go Performance Monitor Wizard - Please select an option						
Sentry-go® Performance Monitor Wizard	© 3Ds (UK) Limited http://www.Sentry-go.com					
Please select each role you wish to monitor your server for I want to monitor the performance of my Windows server I want to monitor the performance of specific SQL Server (s) I want to monitor the performance of my Microsoft Exchange server I want to monitor the performance of my IIS web server I want to monitor the performance of my ASP web pages I want to monitor the performance of my print servers & print queues I want to monitor the performance of specific printers or print queues on the I want to monitor the performance of specific printers or print queues on the	ne server ne server					
, Check performance counters are valid for this server when adding	Close Next					

You can choose to monitor typical performance information for a specific type of server or technology (SQL Server, Microsoft Exchange, IIS, ASP etc.) or configure individual items such as printers or SQL server databases.

#### Selection

Simply select the type of monitoring you wish to configure by selecting the appropriate value from the list.

#### Check Monitoring is Valid for server when adding

Tick this option to allow the Wizard to verify the options selected against the server being configured. Any options that appear not to be available will be added, but disabled by the Wizard.

To avoid unavailable entries being made, it is recommended that you tick this option.

Click Next to continue.

### Results

The Wizard will now check & configure the appropriate counters, updating its current status as the process continues.

Once complete, a message will indicate how many checks were added. If the check already exists within the server's configuration, it will be ignored by the Wizard.



Click Close to close the Wizard and return to the Configuration window.

# Next Steps

The Wizard will automatically generate the appropriate checks as outlined above. It will also ...

- Set default values for thresholds (in some cases)
- Set default values for alerts
- Enable/disable checks as appropriate

Once complete, it is recommended that you review the new checks within the Client Console and further refine alerts, actions and thresholds as appropriate.

## More Information

If you need more help or information on this topic ...

- Read all papers/documents on-line.
- Watch demonstrations & walkthrough videos on-line.
- Visit <u>http://www.Sentry-go.com</u>.
- Contact our <u>Support Team</u>.



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