



Running a File or Script as a Named User *with Sentry-go*

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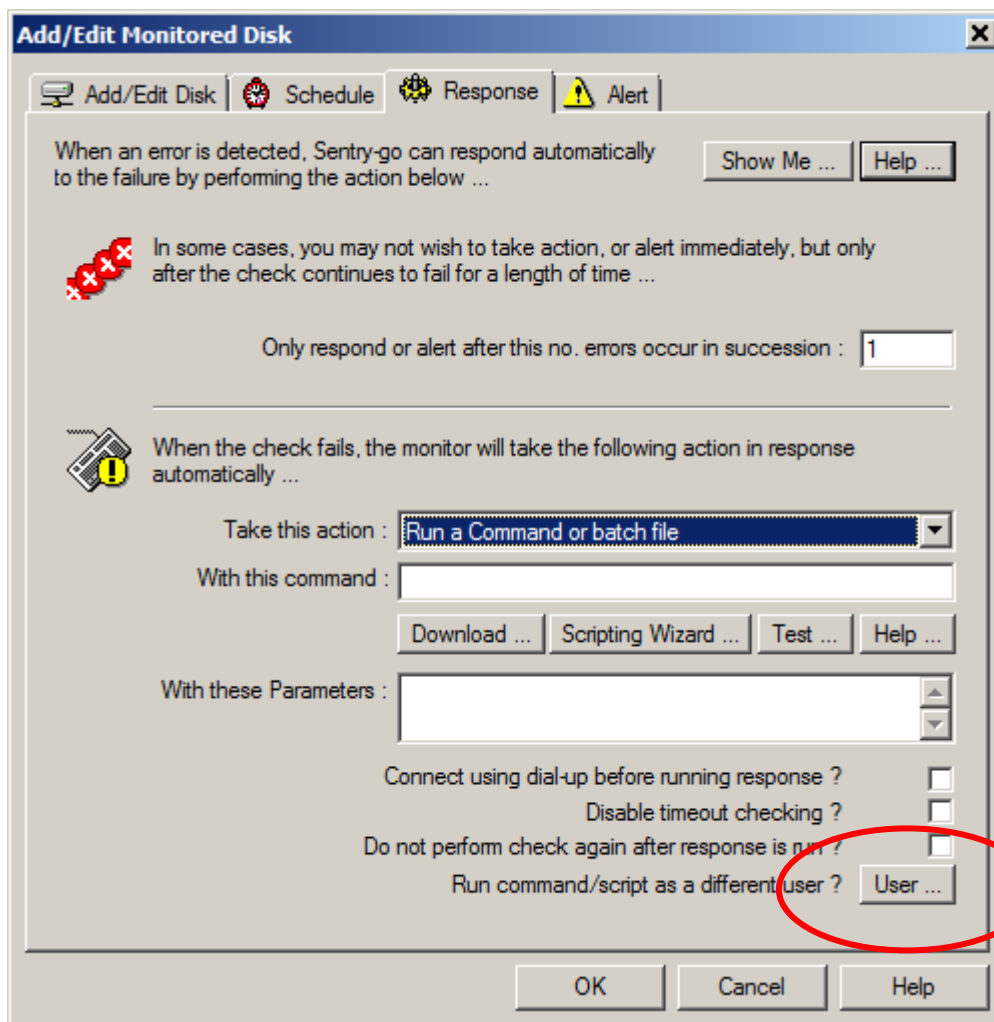
Be Proactive, Not Reactive!

By default, any file or script that is called by Sentry-go – e.g. auto-response, scripted monitoring, alert etc. will be run as the user running the Sentry-go monitoring service. Typically this will be the local system account which has administrative privileges to the local machine only.

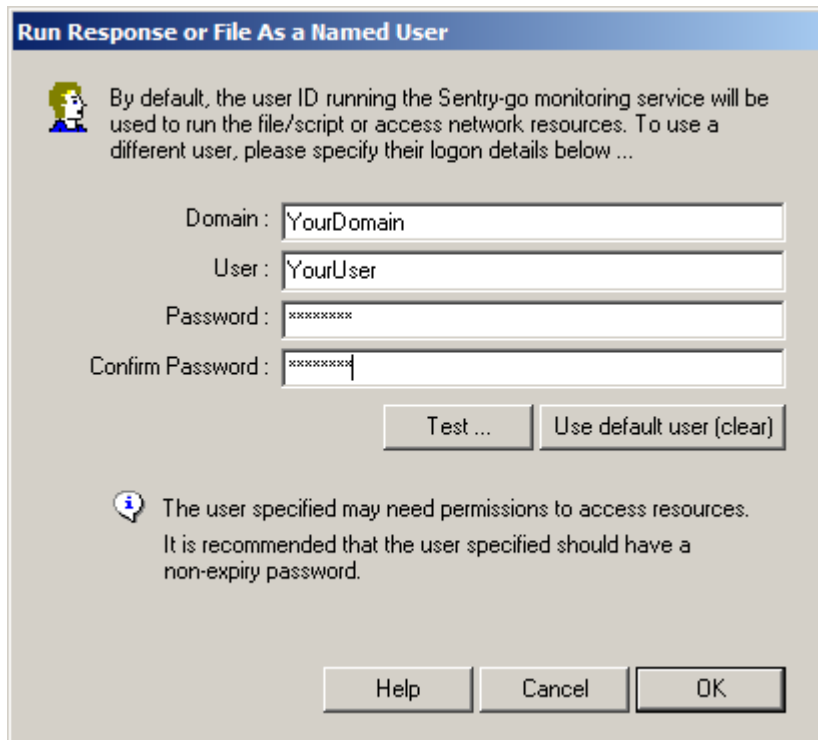
If you wish to run the response under a specific account – e.g. a domain account with specific permissions or an account which has access to network resources etc., you can specify a named user.

To do this, follow these steps ...


- Click the appropriate “Run As” or “User” button for the area being configured. For example ...




- The following window will be displayed ...



- By default, the fields will be blank, meaning that the user running the monitoring service will perform the check or run the script. To alter this behaviour, enter the user information requested.

 To use a domain account, enter the domain name above.

To use a local account on the server, leave the domain name blank.

 In order to ensure the response is run correctly, the entered user must ...

- Have "logon as a service" permission.
- Permissions to access any required resources.
- Have a non-expiry password (recommended).

- If a user is specified, the monitor will perform the following actions at runtime ...
 - Logon as the user based on the above information
 - If required, load the user's local or roaming profile
 - Perform the requested action
 - Log off
- Optionally click the "Test" button to verify the details entered and ensure the server has access to the user.

More Information

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

- Contact our [Support Team](#).
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