



How to Monitor Available Disk Space with Sentry-go

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Monitoring available disk space is quick & simple with Sentry-go. Once configured, the monitor will periodically verify available space, respond to low disk space conditions and/or alert you when issues are detected.

To do this, follow these steps ...

- Start the Easy Access Utility or Client Console, select the monitor & click “Configure”.
[Click here for more information on configuring Sentry-go.](#)
- Select the “Disks” button to display the primary Disk space configuration list.
- Click “Add” to add a new check. The properties window for the check will be displayed.

Add/Edit Monitored Disk

Add/Edit Disk | Schedule | Response | Alert

Please define the disk you wish to monitor & the amount of free space to verify ...

Please enter the drive letter you wish to monitor (e.g. C:) : C:

Sentry-go can either check the amount of free disk space, or check that a given percentage of total disk space is available. Please select the appropriate option below ...

I want to be alerted if the given amount of free space in Mb is less than the value below

I want to be alerted if less than the following % of total disk space is free

Alert if the amount of free space falls below (Mb or %) : 20

OK Cancel Help

- First enter or select the local disk you wish to monitor.

- Next select the type of check you wish to perform ...
 - Select the first option to check for an actual amount of free in megabytes (MBs).
 - Select the second option to check for a percentage of total disk space to be free.
- Finally enter the monitored amount – either the no. MBs or the percentage free, depending on the above selection.
- Click “Schedule” to perform the check at specific times (as opposed to the default no. minutes as specified at the bottom of the main list).
[Click here for more information on Scheduling Sentry-go checks.](#)
- Click “Response” to define any automatic action you wish Sentry-go to take in the event the check fails. These settings include ...
 - How many errors should occur in succession before action is taken.
 - The auto-response the monitor should take, if any, if the check fails.
 - [Click here for more information on defining automatic responses.](#)
- Click “Alert” to define the alert that should be triggered in the event the check fails. This includes ...
 - Which group should be notified of the failure.
 - How members of the group should be notified.
 - When notifications should be run etc.
 - [Click here for more information on defining alerts.](#)

More Information

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

- See [Monitoring Available Disk Space](#).
- Contact our [Support Team](#).
- Watch [demonstrations & walkthrough videos on-line](#).
- Visit <http://www.Sentry-go.com>.

