

Genie Timeline 2.1 vs. Windows 7 backup

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Supports Windows XP	✓	✗
Supports Windows Vista	✓	✗
Compression	✓ Data is automatically compressed to reserve storage space and automatically decompressed upon restoration.	✗ Not supported
Encryption (Only in Professional)	✓ 256-bit AES encryption for optimum privacy	✗ Not supported
Disaster Recovery	✓ An advanced, complete Disaster Recovery system in case of a case of system failure.	✗ Not supported
Email notification of Backup Status / Error / Success	Supported. Genie Timeline offers its servers to be used free of charge for notifications delivered right to the user inbox.	✗ Not supported
Real-time continuous data protection	✓ Yes. Changes or additions to files are monitored and taken into backup either according to user set time or intelligently by Timeline.	✗ Not supported.
Scheduled backups	✗ Not supported.	✓ Supported
System Tray Agent	Yes. Found in your system tray where it is easily accessible, you can quickly view your backup status, protection level, and more.	✗ Not supported
Backup Search-ability	✓ Supported. Search through your backups, view versions for files in your search results restore by using the Timeline Explorer or advanced restore.	✗ Not supported
Flexible Customization of Backup Selection	✓ Backup selection can be customized to user preference wither by selecting pre-configured Smart Selection or any file/folder.	✓ Yes. Only by selecting files and folders
Backup of various resources	Data for backup can be selected from: local drives, network attached resources and removable media.	Local and external drives that are connected to the machine only.
Filters for Backup Data	✓ File filters can be created and accessed from the Genie Timeline interface.	✗ No interface to implement file filters easily. Filters can be modified manually from the Windows Registry.

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Block-level Backup technology	✓ Supported. With large modified files Timeline will backup only changes within the file and not the entire file.	✗ Not supported
Storage Space Limitation (Only in Professional)	✓ None. The determinant of space used for backed up files is limited by storage location selected by the user.	✗ Since, by default, backups must be stored on the same drives onto which original files reside: storage space allocated for backups is 15% of the drive space.
Deleted file Detection - view	✓ Supported	✓ Supported
View all files backed up	✓ Yes. Using Timeline Explorer and advanced restore.	✗ No. data is scattered and cannot be viewed.
Open File Backup	✓ Supported	✓ Supported
Automatic purging of older versions	✓ Yes	✓ Yes
Easy Single-file / folder / drive restoration	✓ Supported.	✓ Supported
Protection Level icon indicator	✓ Supported	✗ Not supported
Power Saving Mode	✓ Yes. Saves power when running on batteries; stops when critical.	✗ Not supported
Plug'n'Backup	✓ Supported. Timeline monitors changes. It will automatically resume when reconnected to the backup drive; no need to even push a button.	✗ Not supported
Multiple performance modes	✓ Supported. Turbo mode which runs at fastest speed, Smart mode which slows down or speeds up according to CPU usage	✗ Not supported
Game/Movie mode	✓ Supported. Timeline will pause your backup while playing a game or movie	✗ Not supported