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Red Hat / CentOS: Check / List Running Services

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Q. How do I list all currently running services in Fedora / RHEL / CentOS Linux server?



A. There are various ways and tools to find and list all running services under Fedora / RHEL / CentOS Linux systems.

service command - list running services

```
service --status-all
service --status-all | grep ntpd
service --status-all | less
```

Print the status of any service

To print the status of apache (httpd) service:

```
service httpd status
```

List all known services (configured via SysV)

List service and their open ports

```
netstat -tulpn
```

chkconfig --list

Turn on / off service

```
ntsysv
chkconfig service off
chkconfig service on
chkconfig httpd off
chkconfig ntpd on
```

<u>ntsysv is a simple interface</u> ^[2] for configuring runlevel services which are also configurable through chkconfig. By default, it configures the current runlevel. Just type ntsysv and select service you want to run:

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- [1] Image: http://www.cyberciti.biz/faq/category/redhat-and-friends/
- [2] ntsysv is a simple interface: http://www.cyberciti.biz/faq/rhel5-update-rcd-command/

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