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Can't re-open pipe to command substitution (fd 4): No child processes error and solution

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Q. I'm running Debian Linux 64 bit server. I'm getting an error which read as follows:
Can't re-open pipe to command substitution (fd 4): No child processes

How do I fix the problem?

A. This error occurs when Linux server run out of open files maximum limit i.e system cannot create or open a new file due to number of open files reached the maximum limits of files.



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To solve this problem just configure the system to accept the more open files. Please see previous faq:

- [Linux increase the maximum number of open files or file descriptors](#) ^[2]

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