

- Background Processes
- Monitoring commands - df -h, free -m, netstat, dmesg
- Process Mgmt Cmds
- Script Practise

## Background Processes

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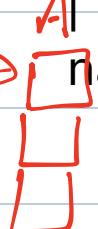
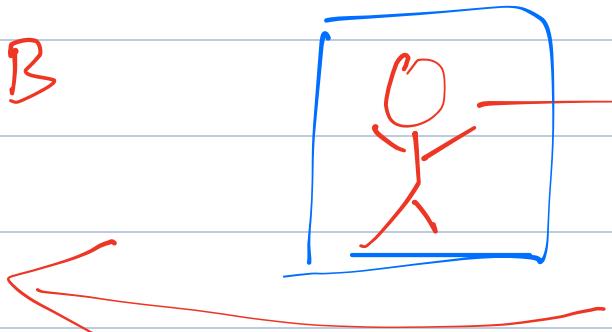
| ` -n` | Show \*\*numeric\*\* addresses  
(no DNS lookups) |

| ` -t` | Show \*\*TCP\*\* connections  
only |

| ` -l` | Show only \*\*listening\*\*  
sockets |

A | ` -p` | Show the \*\*PID and program  
name\*\* using the socket |

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1 Brick / Trip

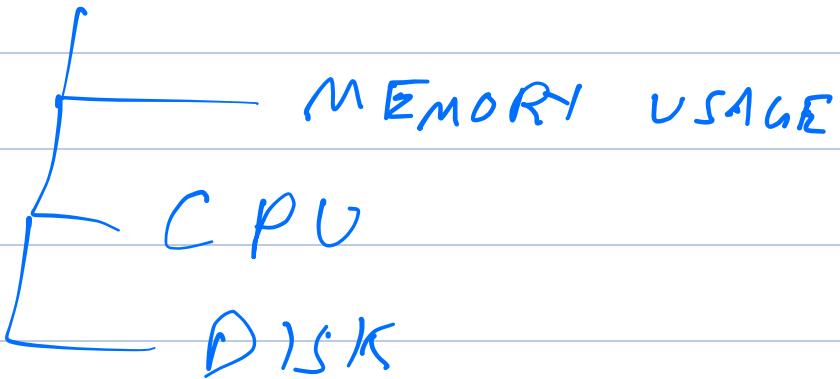
MULTI - TASKING  
- THREADING

IMPROVE EFF → TAKE 2 BRICKS / TRIP

→ ADD MORE WORKERS

→ MULTI - PROCESSING

PROCESSES HAVE SEPARATE RESOURCES



sleep - create an idle process

Process - ID

echo \$! → gives you the PID of the previously generated process

root@ip-172-31-27-45:~# ps -p 1584

PID	TTY	TIME	CMD
1584	pts/1	00:00:00	sleep
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*TERMINAL ID  
ID (Teletype writer)*

CPU TIME TAKEN BY PROCESS  
TILL NOW

kill & pkill

Purpose: KILL THE PROCESS

kill → kill -9 <PID> → FORCEFUL

kill -15 <PID>

GRACEFUL TERMINATION

pkill → pkill <process name>

pgrep

Gives you pid

pgrep screen

pstree

↳ process tree

ps -ef & ps aux

	User ID	Process ID	Parent Process ID	CPU Utilization		
	UID	PID	PPID	C S TIME TTY	TIME CMD	TERMINAL ID
root	1	0 0	14:38 ?	00:00:02	/sbin/init	TIME TAKEN BY CPU TILL NOW
-	2	0 0	14:38 ?	00:00:00	[kthreadd]	
root	3	2 0	14:38 ?	00:00:00	[pool_workqueue_release]	
root	4	2 0	14:38 ?	00:00:00	[kworker/R-rcu_gp]	

START  
TIME

AMT OF MEMORY PROCESS CAN ACCESS:

VIRTUAL  
MEMORY SIZE

MEMORY ACTUALLY  
USED

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root@ip-172-31-27-45:~# ps aux
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USER	PID	%CPU	%MEM	VSZ	RSS	TTY	STAT	START	TIME	COMMAND
root	1	0.0	0.0	22548	13328	?	Ss	14:38	0:02	/sbin/init
root	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	14:38	0:00	[kthreadd]
root	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	S	14:38	0:00	[pool_workqueue_release]
root	4	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	I<	14:38	0:00	[kworker/R-rcu_gp]
root	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	I<	14:38	0:00	[kworker/R-sync_wq]
root	6	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	I<	14:38	0:00	[kworker/R-kvfree_rcu_reclaim]
root	7	0.0	0.0	0	0	?	I<	14:38	0:00	[kworker/R-slub_flushwq]

R - Running

ANOMALOUSLY HIGH VSZ = INDICATOR OF MEMORY LEAK

# top & htop

## Oly - Check Real Time System Resource Usage

top - 17:05:34 up 2:27, 1 user, load average: 0.01, 0.01, 0.00

Tasks: 138 total, 1 running, 137 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie

%Cpu(s): 0.0 us, 0.1 sy, 0.0 ni, 64.4 id, 0.0 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 35.6 st

MiB Mem : 15990.1 total, 15283.2 free, 515.5 used, 470.9 buff/cache

MiB Swap: 0.0 total, 0.0 free, 0.0 used. 15474.6 avail Mem

PRIORITY	PR	NI	NICE VALUE	VIRT	RES	SHR S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+ COMMAND	Shared Memory STATUS
				VSS	RSS					
1 root	20	0	22548	13328	9360	S	0.0	0.1	0:02.70	systemd
2 root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kthreadd
3 root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	pool_workqueue_release
4 root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-rcu_gp
5 root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-sync_wq
6 root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-kvfree_rcu_reclaim
7 root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-slub_flushwq

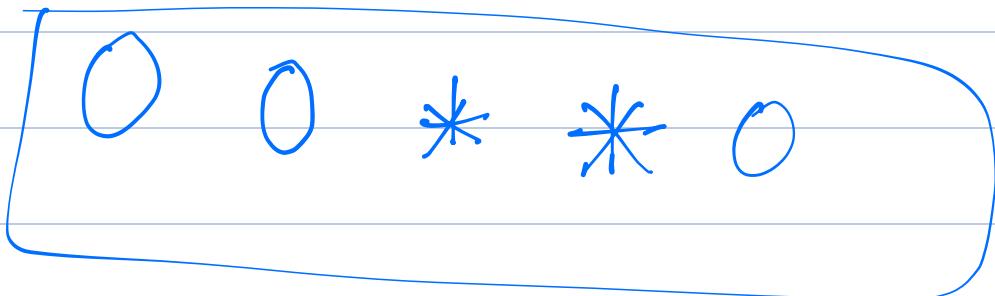
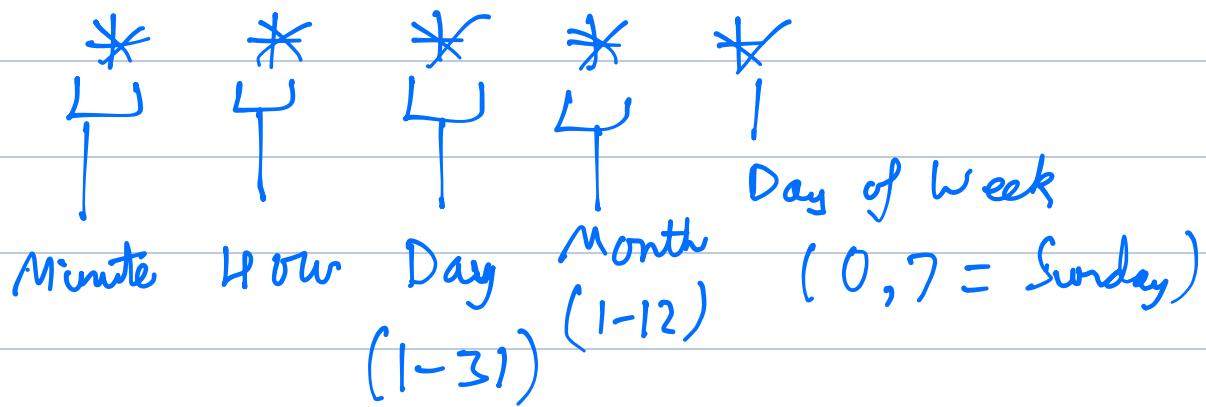
Less nice, more CPU

Too nice, less CPU

→ vmstat — look at distributions of CPU/MEM/I/O

— I/O — INPUT/OUTPUT

→ Cron — scheduling a process



\* → any or every

0 0 \* \* 0 sleep 60