

1. Run top cmd and observe the display, noting the information shown about CPU usage, memory usage, and the list of running processes.

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top - 10:55:56 up 1:03, 2 users, load average: 0.04, 0.05, 0.01
Tasks: 270 total, 2 running, 268 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.2 us, 0.1 sy, 0.0 ni, 99.3 id, 0.4 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 306.9 free, 1226.4 used, 373.9 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2033.2 free, 14.8 used. 515.4 avail Mem
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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2051	siddhar+	20	0	5064672	342504	104832	S	0.7	19.2	0:50.28	gnome-shell
3281	siddhar+	20	0	226056	4096	3328	R	0.3	0.2	0:00.19	top
1	root	20	0	174056	15644	10820	S	0.0	0.9	0:02.29	systemd
2	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.03	kthreadd
3	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	pool_workqueue_
4	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-rcu_g
5	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-rcu_p
6	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-slub_
7	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-netns
9	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/0:0H-events_highpri
10	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u512:0-events_unbound
11	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-mm_pe
12	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.01	kworker/u512:1-netns
13	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	rcu_tasks_kthre
14	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	rcu_tasks_rude_
15	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	rcu_tasks_trace
16	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.01	ksoftirqd/0
17	root	20	0	0	0	0	R	0.0	0.0	0:00.24	rcu_preempt
18	root	rt	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.01	migration/0
19	root	-51	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	idle_inject/0
21	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	cpuhp/0
22	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	cpuhp/1
23	root	-51	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	idle_inject/1
24	root	rt	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.26	migration/1

2. Press q to exit top.

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11 root 0 -20 0 0 0 I 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 kworker/R-mm_pe
12 root 20 0 0 0 0 I 0.0 0.0 0:00.01 kworker/u512:1-netns
13 root 20 0 0 0 0 I 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_tasks_kthre
14 root 20 0 0 0 0 I 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_tasks_rude_
15 root 20 0 0 0 0 I 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 rcu_tasks_trace
16 root 20 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.01 ksoftirqd/0
17 root 20 0 0 0 0 I 0.0 0.0 0:00.24 rcu_preempt
18 root rt 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.01 migration/0
19 root -51 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 idle_inject/0
21 root 20 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 cpuhp/0
22 root 20 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 cpuhp/1
23 root -51 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 idle_inject/1
24 root rt 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.36 migration/1
25 root 20 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.01 ksoftirqd/1
27 root 0 -20 0 0 0 I 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 kworker/1:0H-events_highpri
28 root 20 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 cpuhp/2
29 root -51 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.00 idle_inject/2
30 root rt 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.37 migration/2
31 root 20 0 0 0 0 S 0.0 0.0 0:00.01 ksoftirqd/2
[siddharrth@siddharrth ~]$
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3. Run top again and while in top
  - a. Press M to sort processes by memory

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top - 10:58:53 up 1:06, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.02, 0.00
Tasks: 270 total, 1 running, 269 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.2 us, 0.1 sy, 0.0 ni, 98.8 id, 0.9 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 294.3 free, 1237.7 used, 375.3 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2033.2 free, 14.8 used. 504.1 avail Mem
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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2051	siddhar+	20	0	5070744	351240	105088	S	0.3	19.7	0:51.27	gnome-shell
2290	siddhar+	20	0	1051520	103652	42196	S	0.0	5.8	0:04.68	gnome-software
2846	siddhar+	20	0	770508	60356	44144	S	0.3	3.4	0:05.89	gnome-terminal-
2564	siddhar+	20	0	807212	54556	42820	S	0.0	3.1	0:00.30	gsd-xsettings
2593	siddhar+	20	0	659184	51920	42912	S	0.0	2.9	0:00.18	ibus-x11
2281	siddhar+	20	0	917000	43804	30596	S	0.0	2.5	0:00.32	evolution-alarm
880	root	20	0	351796	42840	18224	S	0.0	2.4	0:00.88	firewalld
2462	siddhar+	20	0	172048	40024	31880	S	0.0	2.2	0:00.22	Xwayland
2332	siddhar+	20	0	390032	38852	30168	S	0.0	2.2	0:05.69	vmtoolsd
1638	geoclue	20	0	563680	34000	14548	S	0.0	1.9	0:00.48	geoclue
2590	siddhar+	20	0	595816	33600	19072	S	0.0	1.9	0:01.73	ibus-extension-
2250	siddhar+	20	0	801732	31392	22916	S	0.0	1.8	0:00.33	gsd-media-keys
2682	root	20	0	566460	30460	21172	S	0.0	1.7	0:00.56	fwupd
2119	siddhar+	20	0	1287480	29512	20736	S	0.0	1.7	0:00.18	evolution-sourc
2649	siddhar+	20	0	591588	29260	19332	S	0.0	1.6	0:00.18	xdg-desktop-por
2164	siddhar+	20	0	1051460	29080	22144	S	0.0	1.6	0:00.22	evolution-calen

- b. Press P (uppercase) to sort processes by CPU usage.

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top - 11:00:42 up 1:07, 2 users, load average: 0.08, 0.03, 0.01
Tasks: 270 total, 1 running, 269 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.2 us, 0.1 sy, 0.0 ni, 99.1 id, 0.7 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 290.0 free, 1241.9 used, 375.3 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2033.2 free, 14.8 used. 499.9 avail Mem
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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2051	siddhar+	20	0	5070744	351248	105088	S	0.7	19.7	0:52.13	gnome-shell
<b>3294</b>	<b>siddhar+</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>226056</b>	<b>4224</b>	<b>3328</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0:00.29</b>	<b>top</b>
1	root	20	0	174056	15644	10820	S	0.0	0.9	0:02.29	systemd
2	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.03	kthreadd
3	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	pool_workqueue_
4	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-rcu_g
5	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-rcu_p
6	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-slab_
7	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-netns
9	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/0:0H-events_highpri
10	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u512:0-events_unbound
11	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-mm_pe
12	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.01	kworker/u512:1-netns
13	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	rcu_tasks_kthre
14	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	rcu_tasks_rude_
15	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	rcu_tasks_trace

- c. Press N (uppercase) to sort processes by PID.

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top - 11:01:15 up 1:08, 2 users, load average: 0.05, 0.02, 0.00
Tasks: 270 total, 2 running, 268 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.4 us, 0.1 sy, 0.0 ni, 99.2 id, 0.2 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.1 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 289.0 free, 1242.9 used, 375.3 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2033.2 free, 14.8 used. 498.9 avail Mem
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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
<b>3297</b>	<b>root</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0:00.02</b>	<b>kworker/1:3-events</b>
3296	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/3:1-ata_sff
3295	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/0:1-mm_percpu_wq
<b>3294</b>	<b>siddhar+</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>226056</b>	<b>4224</b>	<b>3328</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0:00.35</b>	<b>top</b>
3285	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.04	kworker/1:1-rcu_gp
3241	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/2:0-events_power_efficient
3226	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/0:0-events
3212	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.01	kworker/3:2-ata_sff
3211	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u517:2
3208	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/0:2-events
3205	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/2:2-cgroup_destroy
3130	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.21	kworker/3:3-events_freezable
3109	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u513:1-events_unbound
3091	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.35	kworker/1:2-rcu_par_gp
3010	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u516:2
2981	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u514:3
2974	siddhar+	20	0	221328	2432	2176	S	0.0	0.1	0:00.02	less

- d. Press T (uppercase) to sort processes by TIME+.

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top - 11:01:45 up 1:08, 2 users, load average: 0.03, 0.02, 0.00
Tasks: 270 total, 1 running, 269 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.4 us, 0.2 sy, 98.8 id, 0.6 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 287.1 free, 1244.8 used, 375.3 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2033.2 free, 14.8 used. 497.0 avail Mem
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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2051	siddhar+	20	0	5070744	351224	105088	S	2.0	19.7	0:52.74	gnome-shell
833	root	20	0	383696	10376	7168	S	0.0	0.6	0:06.91	vmtoolsd
2846	siddhar+	20	0	770508	60356	44144	S	0.3	3.4	0:06.13	gnome-terminal-
2332	siddhar+	20	0	393844	42428	30168	S	0.0	2.4	0:05.91	vmtoolsd
2290	siddhar+	20	0	1051520	103652	42196	S	0.0	5.8	0:04.68	gnome-software
1	root	20	0	174056	15644	10820	S	0.0	0.9	0:02.29	systemd
2122	siddhar+	9	-11	331064	18496	8448	S	0.0	1.0	0:01.99	pipewire
2590	siddhar+	20	0	595816	33600	19072	S	0.0	1.9	0:01.73	ibus-extension-
41	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:01.62	kworker/u514:0-events_un
2560	siddhar+	20	0	600332	12968	6400	S	0.0	0.7	0:01.23	ibus-daemon
811	polkitd	20	0	2714724	27296	19288	S	0.0	1.5	0:01.21	polkitd
880	root	20	0	351796	42840	18224	S	0.0	2.4	0:00.88	firewalld
57	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.76	kcompactd0
38	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.69	kworker/3:0-events_freez
59	root	39	19	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.69	khugepaged
1970	siddhar+	20	0	24656	14484	10752	S	0.0	0.8	0:00.58	systemd
2915	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.57	kworker/1:0-rcu_par_gp
2682	root	20	0	566460	30460	21172	S	0.0	1.7	0:00.56	fwupd

#### 4. While in top

- Press **l** to toggle first line (load summary line)

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Tasks: 267 total, 1 running, 266 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.7/1.4 2[[[
MiB Mem : 72.5/1741.8 [[[
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [[[
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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2846	siddhar+	20	0	770508	60380	44144	S	0.7	3.4	0:07.39	gnome-terminal-
2332	siddhar+	20	0	392664	41356	30168	S	0.0	2.3	0:07.06	vmtoolsd
2290	siddhar+	20	0	1051520	105700	42196	S	0.0	5.9	0:04.69	gnome-software
2122	siddhar+	9	-11	331064	18496	8448	S	0.0	1.0	0:02.14	pipewire
<b>3294</b>	<b>siddhar+</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>226084</b>	<b>4224</b>	<b>3328</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0:02.11</b>	<b>top</b>
2590	siddhar+	20	0	595816	33600	19072	S	0.0	1.9	0:01.77	ibus-extension-
2560	siddhar+	20	0	600332	12968	6400	S	0.7	0.7	0:01.54	ibus-daemon
1970	siddhar+	20	0	24656	14484	10752	S	0.0	0.8	0:00.58	systemd
2632	siddhar+	20	0	375240	6784	6144	S	0.0	0.4	0:00.51	ibus-engine-sim
2172	siddhar+	20	0	532460	13924	8448	S	0.0	0.8	0:00.39	goa-identity-se
2123	siddhar+	9	-11	546904	15872	11008	S	0.0	0.9	0:00.36	wireplumber
2250	siddhar+	20	0	801732	33440	22916	S	0.0	1.9	0:00.33	gsd-media-keys
2281	siddhar+	20	0	917000	43804	30596	S	0.0	2.5	0:00.32	evolution-alarm
2564	siddhar+	20	0	807212	54556	42820	S	0.0	3.1	0:00.30	gsd-xsettings
1998	siddhar+	20	0	6724	4224	2304	S	0.0	0.2	0:00.29	dbus-broker
2274	siddhar+	20	0	611136	18904	10624	S	0.0	1.1	0:00.29	gsd-smartcard
2253	siddhar+	20	0	666220	28912	20612	S	0.0	1.6	0:00.26	gsd-power

- Press **t** - swap the CPU displays to simple ASCII graphs that show the percentage of usage for each CPU

```
top - 11:03:07 up 1:10, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.01, 0.00
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 287.1 free, 1244.8 used, 375.3 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2033.2 free, 14.8 used. 497.0 avail Mem
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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2051	siddhar+	20	0	5064696	351224	105088	S	1.3	19.7	0:54.26	gnome-shell

- Press **"t"** again to change the graph display to solid block characters

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top - 11:03:28 up 1:10, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.01, 0.00
Tasks: 270 total, 1 running, 269 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 1.6 us, 0.3 sy, 0.0 ni, 97.9 id, 0.1 wa, 0.2 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 286.9 free, 1245.0 used, 375.5 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2033.2 free, 14.8 used. 496.8 avail Mem
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PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2051	siddhar+	20	0	5070744	355340	105088	S	6.3	19.9	0:54.62	gnome-shell
833	root	20	0	383696	10376	7168	S	4.0	0.6	0:07.12	vmtoolsd
2846	siddhar+	20	0	770508	60356	44144	S	0.3	3.4	0:06.31	gnome-terminal-
2122	siddhar+	9	-11	331224	18496	8448	S	4.7	1.0	0:02.13	pipewire
3130	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.3	0.0	0:00.23	kworker/3:3-mm_percpu_wq
2124	siddhar+	9	-11	334008	16024	8072	S	0.3	0.9	0:00.19	pipewire-pulse

- d. Press "t" once more to remove the CPU display and task summary line completely.

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top - 11:03:47 up 1:10, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.01, 0.00
Tasks: 270 total, 1 running, 269 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.8/0.5 1[[]
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 286.1 free, 1245.7 used, 375.4 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2033.2 free, 14.8 used. 496.1 avail Mem

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM     TIME+ COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5070728 355260 105088 S   3.1  19.9   0:54.83 gnome-shell
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 390084   38612  30168 S   1.0   2.2   0:06.08 vmtotlsd
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- e. Press m to cycle the memory and swap memory lines through different display options.

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top - 11:04:25 up 1:11, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.01, 0.00
Tasks: 269 total, 1 running, 268 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.8/0.0 1[[]
MiB Mem : 71.5/1741.8 [|||||]
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [[]

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM     TIME+ COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5064680 355388 105088 S   1.6  19.9   0:55.43 gnome-shell
 833 root       20   0 383696   10376   7168 S   0.0   0.6   0:07.18 vmtotlsd
 2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508   60124  44144 S   1.6   3.4   0:06.40 gnome-terminal-
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 390576   39124  30168 S   0.0   2.2   0:06.12 vmtotlsd
 2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 103652  42196 S   0.0   5.8   0:04.69 gnome-software
 1 root       20   0 174056   15644  10820 S   0.0   0.9   0:02.29 systemd
 2122 siddhar+  9  -11 331064   18496   8448 S   0.0   1.0   0:02.14 pipewire
 2590 siddhar+  20   0 595816   33600  19072 S   0.0   1.9   0:01.76 ibus-extension-
 41 root       20   0 0 0 0 I   0.0   0.0   0:01.64 kworker/u514:0-events_unbound
 2560 siddhar+  20   0 600332   12968   6400 S   1.6   0.7   0:01.36 ibus-daemon
 811 polkitd    20   0 2714724  27296  19288 S   0.0   1.5   0:01.21 polkitd
 880 root       20   0 351796   42840  18224 S   0.0   2.4   0:00.88 firewalld
 3294 siddhar+  20   0 226056   4224   3328 R   1.6   0.2   0:00.83 top
 57 root       20   0 0 0 0 S   0.0   0.0   0:00.76 kcompactd0
 38 root       20   0 0 0 0 I   0.0   0.0   0:00.71 kworker/3:0-events_freezable_pwr_ef
 59 root       39  19 0 0 0 S   0.0   0.0   0:00.69 khugepaged
 1970 siddhar+  20   0 24656   14484  10752 S   0.0   0.8   0:00.58 systemd
 2915 root       20   0 0 0 0 I   0.0   0.0   0:00.57 kworker/1:0-rcu_par_gp
 2682 root       20   0 566460  30460  21172 S   0.0   1.7   0:00.56 fwupd
 804 dbus        20   0 8088   5552   2304 S   0.0   0.3   0:00.53 dbus-broker
```

- f. Press c – to toggle the command name and full command line.

```
top - 11:04:50 up 1:12, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.00, 0.00
Tasks: 268 total, 2 running, 266 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 2.0/0.0 2[[]
MiB Mem : 72.0/1741.8 [|||||]
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [[]

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM     TIME+ COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5064680 355384 105088 S   5.3  19.9   0:55.66 /usr/bin/gnome-shell
 833 root       20   0 383696   10376   7168 S   0.0   0.6   0:07.20 /usr/bin/vmtotlsd
 2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508   60252  44144 S   2.6   3.4   0:06.45 /usr/libexec/gnome-terminal-server
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 392764   41300  30168 S   0.0   2.3   0:06.17 /usr/bin/vmtotlsd -n vmusr --blockFd 3 --uinputFd 4
 2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 103652  42196 S   0.0   5.8   0:04.69 /usr/bin/gnome-software --gapplication-service
 1 root       20   0 174056   15644  10820 S   0.0   0.9   0:02.29 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd rhgb --switched-root --system --deserialize 31
 2122 siddhar+  9  -11 331064   18496   8448 S   0.0   1.0   0:02.14 /usr/bin/pipewire
 2590 siddhar+  20   0 595816   33600  19072 S   0.0   1.9   0:01.76 /usr/libexec/ibus-extension-gtk3
 41 root       20   0 0 0 0 I   0.0   0.0   0:01.64 [kworker/u514:0-events_unbound]
 2560 siddhar+  20   0 600332   12968   6400 S   0.0   0.7   0:01.36 ibus-daemon --panel disable -r --xim
 811 polkitd    20   0 2714724  27296  19288 S   0.0   1.5   0:01.21 /usr/lib/polkit-1/polkitd --no-debug
 3294 siddhar+  20   0 226084   4224   3328 R   0.0   0.2   0:00.89 top
 880 root       20   0 351796   42840  18224 S   0.0   2.4   0:00.88 /usr/bin/python3 -s /usr/sbin/firewalld --nofork --nopid
 57 root       20   0 0 0 0 S   0.0   0.0   0:00.77 [kcompactd0]
 38 root       20   0 0 0 0 I   0.0   0.0   0:00.71 [kworker/3:0-events_freezable_pwr_ef]
```

## 5. While in top

- a. Press d – to change the delay time to 2.0 and back to 3.0

```
top - 11:05:14 up 1:12, 2 users, load average: 0.12, 0.03, 0.01
Tasks: 268 total, 1 running, 267 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.5/0.1 1[[]
MiB Mem : 71.5/1741.8 [|||||]
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [[]
Change delay from 2.0 to 3.0

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM     TIME+ COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5070728 355420 105088 S   1.5  19.9   0:55.98 /usr/bin/gnome-shell
 833 root       20   0 383696   10376   7168 S   0.0   0.6   0:07.23 /usr/bin/vmtotlsd
 2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508   60252  44144 S   0.0   3.4   0:06.48 /usr/libexec/gnome-terminal-server
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 391236   39840  30168 S   0.0   2.2   0:06.22 /usr/bin/vmtotlsd -n vmusr --blockFd 3 --uinputFd 4
 2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 103652  42196 S   0.0   5.8   0:04.69 /usr/bin/gnome-software --gapplication-service
 1 root       20   0 174056   15644  10820 S   0.0   0.9   0:02.29 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd rhgb --switched-root --system
 2122 siddhar+  9  -11 331064   18496   8448 S   0.0   1.0   0:02.14 /usr/bin/pipewire
 2590 siddhar+  20   0 595816   33600  19072 S   0.0   1.9   0:01.76 /usr/libexec/ibus-extension-gtk3
 41 root       20   0 0 0 0 I   0.0   0.0   0:01.64 [kworker/u514:0-events_unbound]
 2560 siddhar+  20   0 600332   12968   6400 S   0.5   0.7   0:01.37 ibus-daemon --panel disable -r --xim
 811 polkitd    20   0 2714724  27296  19288 S   0.0   1.5   0:01.21 /usr/lib/polkit-1/polkitd --no-debug
```

- b. Press f to change the columns to be displayed in top result (select/unselect using d)

**Fields Management** for window **1:Def**, whose current sort field is **TIME+**  
 Navigate with Up/Dn, Right selects for move then <Enter> or Left commits,  
 'd' or <Space> toggles display, 's' sets sort. Use 'q' or <Esc> to end!

* <b>PID</b>	= Process Id	WCHAN	= Sleeping in Function
* <b>USER</b>	= Effective User Name	Flags	= Task Flags <sched.h>
* <b>PR</b>	= Priority	CGROUPS	= Control Groups
* <b>NI</b>	= Nice Value	SUPGIDS	= Supp Groups IDs
* <b>VIRT</b>	= Virtual Image (KiB)	SUPGRPS	= Supp Groups Names
* <b>RES</b>	= Resident Size (KiB)	TGID	= Thread Group Id
* <b>SHR</b>	= Shared Memory (KiB)	OOMa	= OOMEM Adjustment
* <b>S</b>	= Process Status	OOMs	= OOMEM Score current
* <b>%CPU</b>	= CPU Usage	ENVIRON	= Environment vars
* <b>%MEM</b>	= Memory Usage (RES)	vmj	= Major Faults delta
* <b>TIME+</b>	= CPU Time, hundredths	vmn	= Minor Faults delta
* <b>COMMAND</b>	= Command Name/Line	USED	= Res+Swap Size (KiB)
PPID	= Parent Process pid	nsIPC	= IPC namespace Inode
UID	= Effective User Id	nsMNT	= MNT namespace Inode
RUID	= Real User Id	nsNET	= NET namespace Inode
RUSER	= Real User Name	nsPID	= PID namespace Inode
SUID	= Saved User Id	nsUSER	= USER namespace Inode
SUSER	= Saved User Name	nsUTS	= UTS namespace Inode
GID	= Group Id	LXC	= LXC container name
* <b>GROUP</b>	= Group Name	RSan	= RES Anonymous (KiB)
PGRP	= Process Group Id	RSfd	= RES File-based (KiB)
TTY	= Controlling Tty	RSlk	= RES Locked (KiB)
TPGID	= Tty Process Grp Id	RSsh	= RES Shared (KiB)
STID	= Session Id	CGNAME	= Control Group name

```
top - 11:05:50 up 1:13, 2 users, load average: 0.07, 0.03, 0.01
Tasks: 268 total, 1 running, 267 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s):  0.4/0.2  1[
MiB Mem : 71.8/1741.8  [
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0  [

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5070744 355420 105088 S   1.3  19.9   0:56.53 /usr/bin/gnome-shell
   833 root       20   0 383696  10376   7168 S   0.0   0.6   0:07.25 /usr/bin/vmtoolsd
 2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508  60252  44144 S   0.3   3.4   0:06.56 /usr/libexec/gnome-terminal-server
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 392664  41248  30168 S   0.0   2.3   0:06.27 /usr/bin/vmtoolsd -n vmusr --blockFd 3 --inputFd 4
 2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 103652  42196 S   0.0   5.8   0:04.69 /usr/bin/gnome-software --application-service
    1 root       20   0 174056  15644  10820 S   0.0   0.9   0:02.20 /usr/lib/systemd/systemd rhgb --switched-root --system --deserialize 31
 2122 siddhar+  9 -11 331064  18496   8448 S   0.0   1.0   0:02.14 /usr/bin/pipewire
 2590 siddhar+  20   0 595816  33600  19072 S   0.0   1.9   0:01.76 /usr/libexec/ibus-extension-gtk3
    41 root       20   0      0      0  0 I   0.0   0.0   0:01.64 [kworker/u514:0-events_unbound]
 2560 siddhar+  20   0 600332  12968   6400 S   0.0   0.7   0:01.39 ibus-daemon --panel disable -r --xim
```

- c. Press z to change color of the display.

```
top - 11:07:39 up 1:14, 2 users, load average: 0.01, 0.02, 0.00
Tasks: 268 total, 1 running, 267 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s):  0.8/0.0  1[
MiB Mem : 71.8/1741.8  [
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0  [

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5070728 355396 105088 S   2.4  19.9   0:57.59 gnome-shell
   833 root       20   0 383696  10376   7168 S   0.0   0.6   0:07.43 vmtoolsd
 2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508  60380  44144 S   0.0   3.4   0:06.72 gnome-terminal-
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 392664  41248  30168 S   0.0   2.3   0:06.53 vmtoolsd
 2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 103652  42196 S   0.0   5.8   0:04.69 gnome-software
    1 root       20   0 174056  15644  10820 S   0.0   0.9   0:02.29 systemd
 2122 siddhar+  9 -11 331064  18496   8448 S   0.0   1.0   0:02.14 pipewire
 2590 siddhar+  20   0 595816  33600  19072 S   0.0   1.9   0:01.76 ibus-extension-
    41 root       20   0      0      0  0 I   0.0   0.0   0:01.64 kworker/u514:0-events_unbound
 2560 siddhar+  20   0 600332  12968   6400 S   0.0   0.7   0:01.42 ibus-daemon
 3294 siddhar+  20   0 226084  4224   3328 R   0.0   0.2   0:01.28 top
   811 polkitd   20   0 2714724 27296  19288 S   0.0   1.5   0:01.21 polkitd
   880 root       20   0 351796  42840  18224 S   0.0   2.4   0:00.88 firewalld
    57 root       20   0      0      0  0 S   0.0   0.0   0:00.77 kcompactd0
    38 root       20   0      0      0  0 I   0.0   0.0   0:00.73 kworker/3:0-events_freezable_pwr_ef
    59 root       39  19      0      0  0 S   0.0   0.0   0:00.69 khugepaged
```

- d. Press n – to list n number of lines (e.g. press n and then enter 10 to display only 10 lines)

```
top - 11:09:38 up 1:16, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.01, 0.00
Tasks: 268 total, 1 running, 267 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.2/0.2 0[
MiB Mem : 71.9/1741.8 [|||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [ ]

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5064696 355396 105088 S   1.0   19.9   0:58.51 gnome-shell
   833 root       20   0 383696  10376   7168 S   0.0    0.6   0:07.53 vmtoolsd
 2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508  60380  44144 S   0.0    3.4   0:06.85 gnome-terminal-
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 392664  41248  30168 S   0.0    2.3   0:06.65 vmtoolsd
 2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 103652  42196 S   0.0    5.8   0:04.69 gnome-software
    1 root       20   0 174056  15644  10820 S   0.0    0.9   0:02.30 systemd
 2122 siddhar+  20  -11 331064  18496   8448 S   0.0    1.0   0:02.14 pipewire
 2590 siddhar+  20   0 595816  33600  19072 S   0.0    1.9   0:01.76 ibus-extension-
   41 root       20   0      0      0      0 I   0.0    0.0   0:01.64 kworker/u514:0-events_unbound
 3294 siddhar+  20   0 226084   4224   3328 R   0.0    0.2   0:01.46 top
 2560 siddhar+  20   0 600332  12968   6400 S   0.0    0.7   0:01.43 ibus-daemon
   811 polkitd    20   0 2714724 27296  19288 S   0.0    1.5   0:01.22 polkitd
   880 root       20   0 351796  42840  18224 S   0.0    2.4   0:00.88 firewalld
    57 root       20   0      0      0      0 S   0.0    0.0   0:00.77 kcompactd0
```

i. Press = to get the normal display back

```
top - 11:09:55 up 1:17, 2 users, load average: 0.00, 0.00, 0.00
Tasks: 268 total, 1 running, 267 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.3/0.2 0[
MiB Mem : 71.9/1741.8 [|||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [ ]

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5070744 355408 105088 S   1.3   19.9   0:58.64 gnome-shell
   833 root       20   0 383696  10376   7168 S   0.3    0.6   0:07.55 vmtoolsd
 2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508  60380  44144 S   0.3    3.4   0:06.88 gnome-terminal-
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 392664  41248  30168 S   0.0    2.3   0:06.69 vmtoolsd
 2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 103652  42196 S   0.0    5.8   0:04.69 gnome-software
    1 root       20   0 174056  15644  10820 S   0.0    0.9   0:02.30 systemd
 2122 siddhar+  20  -11 331064  18496   8448 S   0.0    1.0   0:02.14 pipewire
 2590 siddhar+  20   0 595816  33600  19072 S   0.0    1.9   0:01.76 ibus-extension-
   41 root       20   0      0      0      0 I   0.0    0.0   0:01.64 kworker/u514:0-events_unbound
 3294 siddhar+  20   0 226084   4224   3328 R   0.0    0.2   0:01.49 top
 2560 siddhar+  20   0 600332  12968   6400 S   0.3    0.7   0:01.44 ibus-daemon
   811 polkitd    20   0 2714724 27296  19288 S   0.0    1.5   0:01.22 polkitd
   880 root       20   0 351796  42840  18224 S   0.0    2.4   0:00.88 firewalld
    57 root       20   0      0      0      0 S   0.0    0.0   0:00.77 kcompactd0
    38 root       20   0      0      0      0 I   0.0    0.0   0:00.75 kworker/3:0-mpt_poll_0
    59 root       39  19      0      0      0 S   0.0    0.0   0:00.69 khugepaged
 1970 siddhar+  20   0 24656  14484  10752 S   0.0    0.8   0:00.58 systemd
 2682 root       20   0 566460  30460  21172 S   0.0    1.7   0:00.57 fwupd
   804 dbus       20   0   8088   5552  2304 S   0.0    0.3   0:00.53 dbus-broker
 1638 geoclue   20   0 563680  34000  14548 S   0.0    1.9   0:00.48 geoclue
 2632 siddhar+  20   0 375240   6784   6144 S   0.0    0.4   0:00.48 ibus-engine-sim
 1074 root       20   0 165580   5752   4728 S   0.0    0.3   0:00.44 rsyslogd
```

## 6. While in top

- Press u – and give the username to filter the process by username (press u -enter root to see all processes run by root etc)

```
top - 11:10:53 up 1:18, 2 users, load average: 0.39, 0.09, 0.03
Tasks: 268 total, 1 running, 267 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 1.6/0.2 2[|
MiB Mem : 72.3/1741.8 [|||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [ ]

  PID USER      PR  NI    VIRT    RES    SHR S  %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
 2051 siddhar+  20   0 5070728 355408 105088 S   6.0   19.9   0:59.67 gnome-shell
 2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508  60380  44144 S   0.6    3.4   0:07.01 gnome-terminal-
 2332 siddhar+  20   0 392664  41356  30168 S   0.0    2.3   0:06.83 vmtoolsd
 2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 103652  42196 S   0.0    5.8   0:04.69 gnome-software
 2122 siddhar+  20  -11 331064  18496   8448 S   0.0    1.0   0:02.14 pipewire
 2590 siddhar+  20   0 595816  33600  19072 S   0.1    1.9   0:01.77 ibus-extension-
 3294 siddhar+  20   0 226084   4224   3328 R   0.1    0.2   0:01.58 top
 2560 siddhar+  20   0 600332  12968   6400 S   0.4    0.7   0:01.48 ibus-daemon
 1970 siddhar+  20   0 24656  14484  10752 S   0.0    0.8   0:00.58 systemd
 2632 siddhar+  20   0 375240   6784   6144 S   0.2    0.4   0:00.50 ibus-engine-sim
 2172 siddhar+  20   0 532460  13924   8448 S   0.0    0.8   0:00.37 goa-identity-se
 2123 siddhar+  20  -11 546904  15872  11008 S   0.0    0.9   0:00.36 wireplumber
 2250 siddhar+  20   0 801732  33440  22916 S   0.0    1.9   0:00.33 gsd-media-keys
 2281 siddhar+  20   0 917000  43804  30596 S   0.0    2.5   0:00.32 evolution-alarm
 2564 siddhar+  20   0 807212  54556  42820 S   0.0    3.1   0:00.30 gsd-xsettings
```

- Press o to enter the filter option
  - Type COMMAND=yourProcessname and press enter



## 1. COMMAND=sleep

```
top - 11:18:56 up 1:26, 2 users, load average: 0.05, 0.05, 0.00
Tasks: 266 total, 1 running, 265 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.2/0.2 0[
MiB Mem : 72.6/1741.8 [
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [

  PID USER      PR  NI  VIRT  RES  SHR S %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND

```

## 2. COMMAND=gnome

```
top - 11:20:01 up 1:27, 2 users, load average: 0.29, 0.10, 0.02
Tasks: 266 total, 1 running, 265 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 1.6/0.3 2[
MiB Mem : 72.5/1741.8 [
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [
  scroll coordinates: y = 1/266 (tasks), x = 1/12 (fields)

  PID USER      PR  NI  VIRT  RES  SHR S %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
2051 siddhar+  20   0 5064680 355236 105088 S  1.5  19.9   1:07.88 gnome-shell
2846 siddhar+  20   0 770508 60300 44144 S  0.2   3.4   0:08.09 gnome-terminal-
2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 105700 42196 S  0.0   5.9   0:04.70 gnome-software
2034 siddhar+  20   0 734872 18616 13824 S  0.0   1.0   0:00.21 gnome-session-b
2100 siddhar+  20   0 586520 19200 16000 S  0.0   1.1   0:00.15 gnome-shell-cal
1988 siddhar+  20   0 452924 8336 5760 S  0.0   0.5   0:00.05 gnome-keyring-d
2001 siddhar+  20   0 513148 17312 13312 S  0.0   1.0   0:00.05 gnome-session-b
2033 siddhar+  20   0 303800 7496 4992 S  0.0   0.4   0:00.01 gnome-session-c

```

## 3. COMMAND=kworker

```
top - 11:20:26 up 1:27, 2 users, load average: 0.26, 0.11, 0.02
Tasks: 267 total, 1 running, 266 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 2.1/0.2 2[
MiB Mem : 72.5/1741.8 [
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [
  scroll coordinates: y = 11/267 (tasks), x = 1/12 (fields)

  PID USER      PR  NI  VIRT  RES  SHR S %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
  41 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:01.66 kworker/u514:0-events_unbound
  38 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.85 kworker/3:0-events_freezable_pwr_ef
  44 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.35 kworker/u514:2-events_unbound
3130 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.32 kworker/3:3-mm_percpu_wq
  40 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.23 kworker/u513:0-events_unbound
3297 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.22 kworker/1:3-mm_percpu_wq
  661 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.20 kworker/u513:3-events_unbound
  70 root        0 -20   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.13 kworker/3:1H-kblockd
  286 root        0 -20   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.08 kworker/1:1H-xfs-log/dm-0
  243 root        0 -20   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.07 kworker/2:1H-kblockd
  282 root        0 -20   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.07 kworker/0:1H-kblockd
 2814 root        0 -20   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.02 kworker/2:2H-kblockd
   12 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.01 kworker/u512:1-netns
3329 root        20   0   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.01 kworker/3:1-ata_sff
   4 root        0 -20   0     0   0 I  0.0  0.0   0:00.00 kworker/R-rcu_g

```

### ii. Type %CPU>anyvalue and press enter

```
top - 11:21:28 up 1:28, 2 users, load average: 0.09, 0.09, 0.02
Tasks: 267 total, 1 running, 266 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 1.0/0.3 1[
MiB Mem : 72.7/1741.8 [
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [
  scroll coordinates: y = 1/267 (tasks), x = 1/12 (fields)

  PID USER      PR  NI  VIRT  RES  SHR S %CPU  %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
2051 siddhar+  20   0 5064696 355304 105088 S  0.9  19.9   1:10.32 gnome-shell
2846 siddhar+  20   0 770700 60556 44144 S  0.2   3.4   0:08.43 gnome-terminal-
  833 root        20   0 383696 10376 7168 S  0.0   0.6   0:08.11 vmtoolsd
2332 siddhar+  20   0 392664 41356 30168 S  0.0   2.3   0:07.43 vmtoolsd
2290 siddhar+  20   0 1051520 105700 42196 S  0.0   5.9   0:04.70 gnome-software
3294 siddhar+  20   0 226084 4224 3328 R  0.0  0.2   0:02.64 top

```

### iii. Type %MEM=anyvalue and press enter

```

top - 11:22:07 up 1:29, 2 users, load average: 0.05, 0.08, 0.01
Tasks: 267 total, 1 running, 266 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.3/0.2 1[
MiB Mem : 72.7/1741.8 [|||||]
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [ ]
scroll coordinates: y = 5/267 (tasks), x = 1/12 (fields)

```

PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2290	siddhar+	20	0	1051520	105700	42196	S	0.0	5.9	0:04.70	gnome-software
811	polkitd	20	0	2714724	27296	19288	S	0.0	1.5	0:01.22	polkitd
2202	root	20	0	241708	9600	8320	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.46	sssd_kcm
655	root	20	0	37136	9472	7936	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.32	systemd-journal
2281	siddhar+	20	0	917000	43804	30596	S	0.0	2.5	0:00.32	evolution-alarm
2227	siddhar+	20	0	2931704	27212	20096	S	0.0	1.5	0:00.15	gjs
2367	siddhar+	20	0	2931688	25952	20096	S	0.0	1.5	0:00.14	gjs
831	root	20	0	448768	8612	5888	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.09	upowerd
1988	siddhar+	20	0	452924	8336	5760	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.05	gnome-keyring-d
817	root	20	0	448276	8160	5632	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.04	switcheroo-cont
1011	root	20	0	16756	9088	7936	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.04	sshd
2068	siddhar+	20	0	452576	9052	6400	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.04	gvfsd
2192	siddhar+	20	0	450068	8908	6272	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.03	gvfs-gphoto2-vo
2199	siddhar+	20	0	448284	8064	5504	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.03	gvfs-goa-volume
2237	siddhar+	20	0	522128	8280	5632	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.03	gsd-ally-settin
2073	siddhar+	20	0	379916	8320	5632	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.01	gvfsd-fuse
1992	siddhar+	20	0	374144	9656	5120	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.00	gdm-wayland-ses
2596	siddhar+	20	0	449028	8836	6272	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.00	ibus-portal

iv. Type !USER=root and press enter

```

top - 11:22:49 up 1:29, 2 users, load average: 0.02, 0.06, 0.01
Tasks: 267 total, 2 running, 265 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.3/0.2 0[
MiB Mem : 72.7/1741.8 [|||||]
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [ ]
scroll coordinates: y = 1/267 (tasks), x = 1/12 (fields)

```

PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
2051	siddhar+	20		5064696	355300	105088	S	0.2	19.9	1:11.82	gnome-shell
2846	siddhar+	20		770956	60684	44144	S	0.1	3.4	0:08.64	gnome-terminal-
2332	siddhar+	20		392664	41356	30168	S		2.3	0:07.55	vmtoolsd
2290	siddhar+	20		1051520	105700	42196	S		5.9	0:04.70	gnome-software
<b>3294</b>	<b>siddhar+</b>	<b>20</b>		<b>226084</b>	<b>4224</b>	<b>3328</b>	<b>R</b>		<b>0.2</b>	<b>0:02.76</b>	<b>top</b>
2122	siddhar+	9	-11	331064	18496	8448	S		1.0	0:02.14	pipewire
2560	siddhar+	20		600332	12968	6400	S		0.7	0:01.98	ibus-daemon
2590	siddhar+	20		595816	33600	19072	S		1.9	0:01.81	ibus-extension-
811	polkitd	20		2714724	27296	19288	S		1.5	0:01.22	polkitd
2632	siddhar+	20		375240	6784	6144	S		0.4	0:00.69	ibus-engine-sim
1970	siddhar+	20		24656	14484	10752	S		0.8	0:00.58	systemd
804	dbus	20		8088	5552	2304	S		0.3	0:00.53	dbus-broker
1638	geoclue	20		563680	34000	14548	S		1.9	0:00.48	geoclue
2172	siddhar+	20		532460	13924	8448	S		0.8	0:00.41	goa-identity-se
2123	siddhar+	9	-11	546904	15872	11008	S		0.9	0:00.36	wireplumber
2250	siddhar+	20		801724	22440	22016	S		1.0	0:00.22	zed-media-key

v. Type USER=username and press enter

```

top - 11:23:51 up 1:31, 2 users, load average: 0.10, 0.08, 0.02
Tasks: 268 total, 1 running, 267 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 1.7/0.3 2[|]
MiB Mem : 72.8/1741.8 [|||||]
MiB Swap: 0.7/2048.0 [ ]
scroll coordinates: y = 3/268 (tasks), x = 1/12 (fields)

```

PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
833	root	20		383696	10376	7168	S	0.0	0.6	0:08.27	vmtoolsd
1	root	20		174056	15644	10820	S		0.9	0:02.31	systemd
41	root	20					I			0:01.66	kworker/u514:0-writeback
880	root	20		351796	42840	18224	S		2.4	0:00.88	firewalld
38	root	20					I			0:00.87	kworker/3:0-events_freezable_pwr_ef
57	root	20					S			0:00.77	kcompactd0
59	root	39	19				S			0:00.70	khugepaged
2682	root	20		566460	30460	21172	S	1.7		0:00.57	fwupd
1074	root	20		165580	5752	4728	S	0.3		0:00.47	rsyslogd
2202	root	20		241708	9600	8320	S	0.5		0:00.46	sssd_kcm
44	root	20					I			0:00.39	kworker/u514:2-events_unbound
30	root	rt					S			0:00.37	migration/2
24	root	rt					S			0:00.36	migration/1
986	root	20		476484	22716	17736	S	1.3		0:00.36	NetworkManager

7. While in top

- Press k – to kill a process (create sleep process to run bg and kill it)



```
top - 11:26:36 up 1:33, 2 users, load average: 0.12, 0.12, 0.04
Tasks: 284 total, 2 running, 282 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.3 us, 0.2 sy, 0.0 ni, 99.3 id, 0.1 wa, 0.1 hi, 0.1 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 119.8 free, 1269.3 used, 521.7 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2038.7 free, 9.3 used, 472.5 avail Mem
```

PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
3956	siddhar+	20	0	4962020	297328	123120	S	1.3	16.7	0:04.56	gnome-shell
4161	siddhar+	20	0	388284	39716	32804	S	0.3	2.2	0:00.19	vmtoolsd
4509	siddhar+	20	0	775376	54892	42304	S	0.3	3.1	0:00.54	gnome-terminal-
1	root	20	0	174056	15644	10820	S	0.0	0.9	0:02.47	systemd
2	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.04	kthreadd
3	root	20	0	0	0	0	S	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	pool_workqueue_
4	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-rcu_g
5	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-rcu_p
6	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-slab_
7	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/R-netns
9	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/0:0H-events_hig
10	root	20	0	0	0	0	T	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u512:0-events_u

- b. Enter signal 15 and 9 and check

```
top - 19:25:03 up 3 min, 2 users, load average: 0.10, 0.09, 0.03
Tasks: 277 total, 1 running, 276 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.3 us, 0.1 sy, 0.0 ni, 98.8 id, 0.7 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 103.7 free, 1238.5 used, 573.3 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2047.7 free, 0.3 used, 503.2 avail Mem
Send pid 3037 signal [15/sigterm] 15
```

PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
3043	siddhar+	20	0	374724	8060	5504	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.00	gvfsd-metadata
3042	siddhar+	20	0	226056	4224	3328	R	0.0	0.2	0:00.07	top
3037	siddhar+	20	0	220952	1792	1792	S	0.0	0.1	0:00.00	sleep
2988	siddhar+	20	0	224112	5504	3584	S	0.0	0.3	0:00.02	bash
2970	siddhar+	20	0	766668	54740	42372	S	0.3	3.1	0:00.37	gnome-terminal-
2909	root	20	0	566460	31124	21940	S	0.0	1.7	0:00.31	fwupd
2884	siddhar+	20	0	375240	6912	6272	S	0.0	0.4	0:00.02	ibus-engine-sim
2869	siddhar+	20	0	591536	29212	21252	S	0.0	1.6	0:00.09	xdg-desktop-por
2860	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u514:4-events_unbound
2858	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u517:2
2830	siddhar+	20	0	449028	8928	6400	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.00	ibus-portal
2826	siddhar+	20	0	659412	61656	52344	S	0.0	3.5	0:00.15	ibus-x11

- c. Kill the top process itself

```
%Cpu(s): 0.2 us, 0.0 sy, 0.0 ni, 99.2 id, 0.6 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem : 1741.8 total, 92.9 free, 1249.2 used, 573.4 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 2048.0 total, 2047.7 free, 0.3 used, 492.5 avail Mem
Send pid 3042 signal [15/sigterm] 15
```

PID	USER	PR	NI	VIRT	RES	SHR	S	%CPU	%MEM	TIME+	COMMAND
3043	siddhar+	20	0	374724	8060	5504	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.01	gvfsd-metadata
3042	siddhar+	20	0	226056	4224	3328	R	0.0	0.2	0:00.09	top
2988	siddhar+	20	0	224112	5504	3584	S	0.0	0.3	0:00.02	bash
2970	siddhar+	20	0	766924	54828	42372	S	0.1	3.1	0:00.44	gnome-terminal-
2909	root	20	0	566460	31124	21940	S	0.0	1.7	0:00.31	fwupd
2884	siddhar+	20	0	375240	6912	6272	S	0.0	0.4	0:00.03	ibus-engine-sim
2869	siddhar+	20	0	591536	29212	21252	S	0.0	1.6	0:00.09	xdg-desktop-por
2860	root	20	0	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.01	kworker/u514:4-events_unbound
2858	root	0	-20	0	0	0	I	0.0	0.0	0:00.00	kworker/u517:2
2830	siddhar+	20	0	449028	8928	6400	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.00	ibus-portal
2826	siddhar+	20	0	659412	61656	52344	S	0.0	3.5	0:00.15	ibus-x11
2823	siddhar+	20	0	595884	33012	20704	S	0.0	1.9	0:01.04	ibus-extension-
2822	siddhar+	20	0	449080	6912	6400	S	0.0	0.4	0:00.00	ibus-dconf
2813	siddhar+	20	0	807240	61400	51828	S	0.0	3.4	0:00.16	gsd-xsettings
2809	siddhar+	20	0	674440	11496	6656	S	0.0	0.6	0:00.14	ibus-daemon
2737	siddhar+	20	0	896360	29892	24704	S	0.0	1.7	0:00.09	xdg-desktop-por
2732	root	20	0	2652	1664	1664	S	0.0	0.1	0:00.00	fusermount
2724	siddhar+	20	0	743788	8616	5888	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.02	xdg-document-po
2716	siddhar+	20	0	836444	17544	11392	S	0.0	1.0	0:00.07	xdg-desktop-por
2708	siddhar+	20	0	171804	47296	39452	S	0.0	2.7	0:00.10	Xwayland
2664	siddhar+	20	0	599480	22016	17280	S	0.0	1.2	0:00.04	gsd-printer
2601	siddhar+	20	0	2866152	28712	21120	S	0.0	1.6	0:00.09	gjs
2578	siddhar+	20	0	389992	41948	33372	S	0.1	2.4	0:00.57	vmtoolsd
2548	siddhar+	20	0	665844	30468	22276	S	0.0	1.7	0:00.15	gsd-wacom
2542	siddhar+	20	0	671468	9420	6528	S	0.0	0.5	0:00.02	gsd-usb-protect
2534	siddhar+	20	0	530676	11464	8320	S	0.0	0.6	0:00.02	gsd-sound
2527	siddhar+	20	0	611136	22380	14080	S	0.0	1.3	0:00.06	gsd-smartcard
2522	siddhar+	20	0	678240	12552	8960	S	0.0	0.7	0:00.04	gsd-sharing
2515	siddhar+	20	0	956136	90244	47800	S	0.0	5.1	0:02.99	gnome-software
2508	siddhar+	20	0	448044	7892	5376	S	0.0	0.4	0:00.01	gsd-screensaver

```
[1]+ Terminated sleep 300
[siddharth@siddharth ~]$
```

8. Create a process with nice value

- a. nice -n 10 sleep 100 & and Run ps -eo pid,nice,cmd | grep sleep

```
[siddharrth@siddharrth ~]$ nice -n 10 sleep 100
^Z
[1]+  Stopped                  nice -n 10 sleep 100
[siddharrth@siddharrth ~]$ ps -eo pid,nice,cmd | grep sleep
  3063   10  sleep 100
  3069    0  grep --color=auto sleep
[siddharrth@siddharrth ~]$
```

- b. nice -n 8 cat and Run ps -eo pid,nice,cmd | grep cat

```
[siddharrth@siddharrth ~]$ nice -n 8 cat
^Z
[2]+  Stopped                  nice -n 8 cat
[siddharrth@siddharrth ~]$ ps -eo pid,nice,cmd | grep cat
  2462    0  /usr/bin/gjs /usr/share/gnome-shell/org.gnome.Shell.Notifiations
  2499    0  /usr/libexec/gsd-print-notifications
  2515    0  /usr/bin/gnome-software --gapplication-service
  3074    8  cat
  3080    0  grep --color=auto cat
[siddharrth@siddharrth ~]$
```

- c. nice -n -9 seq 20 ( become root) and Run ps -eo pid,nice,cmd | grep seq

```
[siddharrth@siddharrth ~]$ su
Password:
[root@siddharrth siddharrth]# nice -n -9 seq 20
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
[root@siddharrth siddharrth]# ps -eo pid,nice,cmd | grep seq
  3132    0  grep --color=auto seq
[root@siddharrth siddharrth]#
```

9. Change the nice value of a running process using – renice niceval pidofprocess

```
[root@siddharrth siddharrth]# sleep 300 &  
[1] 3143  
[root@siddharrth siddharrth]# renice 9 3143  
3143 (process ID) old priority 0, new priority 9  
[root@siddharrth siddharrth]#
```

10. Check the change using `ps -f pidofprocess`.

```
[root@siddharrth siddharrth]# ps -f 3143  
UID      PID     PPID  C  STIME TTY      STAT   TIME CMD  
root      3143     3097  0  19:32 pts/0    SN      0:00 sleep 300  
[root@siddharrth siddharrth]#
```