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import sys
def extract_pids_from_file(filename, column_no):
 pids = []
 try:
    with open(filename, 'r') as file:
       for line in file:
         columns = line.split()
         if len(columns) >= column_no + 1:
            pid = columns[column no]
            pids.append(pid)
 except FileNotFoundError:
    print(f"Error: The file {filename} was not found.")
 except Exception as e:
    print(f"An error occurred: {e}")
 return pids
def compare processes(pslist file, psxview file):
 pslist_pids = extract_pids_from_file(pslist_file, 0)
 psxview_pids = extract_pids_from_file(psxview_file, 2)
 hidden processes = []
 for pid in psxview pids:
    if pid not in pslist_pids:
       try:
         if isinstance(int(pid),int):
            hidden_processes.append(pid)
       except ValueError:
         continue
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return hidden_processes

if __name__ == "__main__":

pslist_output = sys.argv[1]

psxview_output = sys.argv[2]

hidden_processes = compare_processes(pslist_output, psxview_output)

if hidden_processes:
    for pid in hidden_processes:
        print(f"PID: {pid}")

else:
    print("No PIDs found in psxview that are not present in pslist.")
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