

- **Windows/Monitoring - Write a shell script that checks the current CPU utilization, Low Disk Space and sends an email alert if the utilization exceeds a certain threshold.**

- According to the mentioned, this script will have used in windows monitoring so I write it as a PowerShell script, we can sure write it as a shell script, but it will need additional step to run which is "WSL", to run shell scripts on windows.
- The script parts are commented in the script itself to be easy to explain what I did for you.
- Like what I did, we should to configure a Gmail address to use in SMTP which used in the script and also to test mail like what I did [lsg.task@gmail.com](mailto:lsg.task@gmail.com) , to save time . this link which I used to learn about this part of the script because I did not do it before with PowerShell.  
<https://techexpert.tips/powershell/powershell-send-email-gmail/>
- I set the value of CPUThreshold = .25 only for testing, sure it might be 70 or above, according to what's we need.

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# Set the threshold for CPU utilization
$CPUThreshold = .25

# Get the current CPU utilization
$CPUUtilization = Get-Counter -Counter "\Processor(_Total)\% Processor Time" | Select-Object -ExpandProperty CounterSamples | Select-Object -ExpandProperty CookedValue

# Check if the utilization is above the threshold
if ($CPUUtilization -gt $CPUThreshold) {

    # Get the current disk space
    $DiskSpace = Get-WmiObject win32_LogicalDisk | Select-Object DeviceID, FreeSpace, Size

    # Create an email message with the details of CPU utilization and disk space
    $Message = "The current CPU utilization is $CPUUtilization%, which exceeds the threshold of $CPUThreshold%.`n`n"

    foreach ($Disk in $DiskSpace) {

        # Calculate the percentage of free disk space
        $FreeSpacePercentage = [Math]::Round(($Disk.FreeSpace/$Disk.Size)*100, 2)

        # Add a line to the message for each disk
        $Message += "Drive '$($Disk.DeviceID)' has $FreeSpacePercentage% free space remaining.`n"

    }

    # Send an email alert with the message , the server will mentioned by it's HostName
    $mycredentials = Get-Credential
    Send-MailMessage -SmtpServer smtp.gmail.com -Port 587 -UseSsl -From lsg.task@gmail.com -To mohamed.s.abdelmotlb@gmail.com -Subject "Message from $env:COMPUTERNAME" -Body 'Dear SysAdmin , kindly be noted that the server which mentioned in the subject has a High CPU utilization or Low Disk Space , kindly check it ' -Credential $mycredentials
}
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16 foreach ($Disk in $DiskSpace) {
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18     $FreeSpacePercentage = [Math]::Round(($Disk.FreeSpace/$Disk.Size)*100, 2)
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20     # Add a line to the message for each disk
21     $Message += "Drive '$($Disk.DeviceID)' has $FreeSpacePercentage% free space remaining.`n"
22 }
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24 # Send an email alert with the message , the server will mentioned by its HostName
25 $mycredentials = Get-Credential
26 Send-MailMessage -SmtServer smtp.gmail.com -Port 587 -UseSsl -From lsg.task@gmail.com -To mohamed.s.abdelmot1b@gmail.com -Subject "Message from DESKTOP-P08HJJ6"
27 }
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29 $DiskSpace = Get-WmiObject Win32_LogicalDisk | Select-Object DeviceID, FreeSpace, Size
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31 # Create an email message with the details of CPU utilization and
32 $Message = "The current CPU utilization is $CPUUtilization%, which is High/Low/Normal."
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34 foreach ($Disk in $DiskSpace) {
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45 }
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cmdlet Get-Credential at command pipeline position 1  
Supply values for the following parameters:

User name: lsg.task@gmail.com  
Password: [REDACTED]

Run Insert Copy

Running script / selection. Press Ctrl+Break to stop. Press Ctrl+B to break into debugger.

