

### **CPU State Codes:**

us => Time spent by CPU in executing processes in User Space.

sy => Time spent on running kernel space processes.

ni => Time spent by CPU in executing processes with a manually set nice value.

id => Time in which CPU remains idle.

wa => Time spent by CPU in waiting for input/output to complete.

hi => Time spent by CPU in handling hardware interrupts.

si => Time spent by CPU in handling software interrupts.

st => Time lost by CPU while it was busy on other virtual machines is called Steal Time.