

# ps

## Command Reference

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## 1. Description

*get process info*

Obtains and prints process table information.

The following pieces of information are shown for each running process:

- user: user name
- command: command and arguments
- pcpu: percentage cpu usage
- pmem: percentage memory usage
- state: symbolic process state
- pid: process ID

Example: Show bash processes

```
$ ctl -m shellutil -c ps -- -pname bash
---
user: alexh
command: bash
pmem: "0.0"
args: "[-login]"
state: S
pid: "57085"
pcpu: "0.0"
```

*static:* This command can be run outside of an object context.

## 2. Usage

```
ctl -m shellutil -c ps [-format <yaml>] [-output <>] [-pname <.*>]
```

### 2.1. Options

Option	Description	Type	Default
format	<i>output format. (plain, yaml)</i> Display the result in the specified format. If "plain" is specified, results are displayed in their native ps command format. If	string	yaml

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	"yaml" is specified then each process is displayed in a key/value pair format.		
output	<i>output file</i> Save the results to the output file. If no <code>-output</code> option is specified results are printed to the terminal.	string	
pname	<i>process name</i> Filter process info to those matching specified process name. The value for the <code>-pname</code> argument can also be a regular expression. If the argument is unspecified then all processes are listed.	string	.*