

# IPCExhaustion

## No space left on device: Cannot create SSLMutex

This error indicates that the server has run out of available slots for "inter-process communication". This can occur when a process crashes before cleaning up after itself.

The `ipcs` command will list semaphores and shared memory slots in use. If there is a large number of entries in use by the apache user use `ipcrm` to remove them.

Then, check your server's error log (possibly with `LogLevel debug` set) to figure out why it's crashing, or see: <http://httpd.apache.org/dev/debugging.html>