Subject: Re: Monitoring VE's - Load is important?
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from my experience load avg means nothing; if i run a fork bomb in a container, the load average on the host quickly shoots up to thousands, even if i've only assigned one cpu core to the container (and cpu usage on the host is 25% on a quad core system)

personally i think the best way to detect "overload" is by "pinging" a service you're running, and measure latency (for example send an http request)