

An abstract graphic on the left side of the image, consisting of a network of thin, light-blue lines and small circles, resembling a circuit board or a neural network. The lines are vertical and horizontal, with some diagonal connections, and the circles are small and white, acting as nodes or junctions.

SUDO

WHO IS ROOT?

- root, not to be confused with /
 - Why do I need to be root?
 - How do I become root?
 - su

SU

- `su`
- `su -` (that's su dash)
 - Use root's environmental variables
- `su fred`
 - Assume the user fred
- If you have the right password, you are now root!
 - But wait, there's a problem with this! Think CIA! (or just A)

MORE SUDO

- sudo
- Who can sudo?
 - /etc/sudoers
- Why sudo instead of su?
 - sudo can track who did what
 - sudo can limit what commands are executed
- sudo is a role (similar to wheel)

HOW SUDO REALLY WORKS.

