

The background of the slide is a dark blue field filled with a complex network of thin, light blue lines. These lines connect numerous small, glowing yellow circular nodes. The nodes are scattered across the frame, with a higher concentration on the right side, creating a sense of depth and connectivity, reminiscent of a neural network or a data visualization.

emacs Editor

 THE **LINUX** FOUNDATION

emacs

- **emacs** is available on all Linux systems; a less common variant, **xemacs**, is also generally available
- emacs has many other capabilities other than text editing: it can be used for email, debugging, etc.
- Rather than having different modes for command and insert, like vi, emacs uses the **Control** and **META** key for special commands
 - You can use `Alt` for the META key or you can use `Escape`; if you use `Escape`, you must release the key before you type the rest of the key combination or commands listed further in this lesson
 - It is purely a question of taste as virtually all keyboards today have both an `Alt` and `Escape` keys

