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**INTRODUCTION**

Cisco Packet Tracer is a network simulation software developed by Cisco Systems. It allows users to design, configure, and troubleshoot network topologies virtually. This tool is widely used in networking courses and certifications like Cisco’s CCNA and is an essential resource for beginners and professionals alike.

The primary aim of Packet Tracer is to help users gain hands-on experience in a simulated environment, allowing them to understand how networks operate, without needing access to expensive physical hardware.

This report provides a beginner-friendly overview of how to get started with Packet Tracer, focusing on understanding the interface, modules, and practical usage.

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**CONCLUSION**

Cisco Packet Tracer is an invaluable tool for anyone starting out in networking. It brings theoretical concepts to life through practical simulation, enabling learners to experiment, fail safely, and build confidence in configuring real-world networks.

By understanding the different modules from basic logical workspaces to advanced IoT and simulation features users can gradually progress from simple topologies to complex enterprise-level networks. Whether you’re preparing for certification or just learning the ropes, Packet Tracer provides a solid foundation in networking.