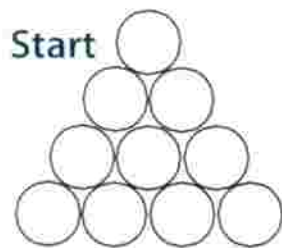


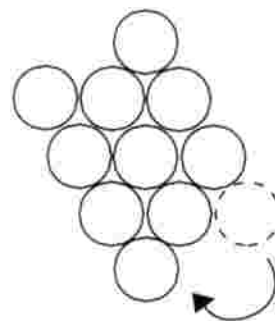
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Answer: Yes, three moves will do the trick.

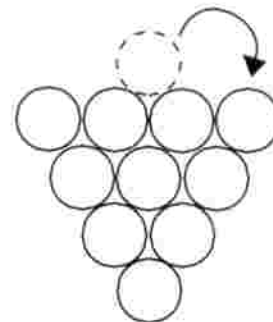
Here's how: First draw a triangular border around the stack of coins. Next turn it upside-down so that it encloses the maximum number of coins, and fill in the open spaces by moving the coins from outside the border to inside the border. The smallest number of coins for this transfer will always be: the number of coins divided by three, ignoring the remainder.



Move 1



Move 2



Move 3

Bonus: Whose face appears on the U.S. nickel?

Answer: Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826). The third president of the United States.