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Counting Pennies, Nickels, and Dimes Lesson

Count and write the total amount in cents.

This coin is called one cent or one penny. We write it as 1¢.	This coin is called one dime. It is worth 10 cents or 10¢.	This coin is called one nickel. It is worth 5 cents or 5¢.

In the above question there are 2 dimes and each dime is worth 10 cents or 10¢. Therefore the total of the dimes will be equal to 10 + 10 = 20¢.

The number of nickels are 3. Each nickel is equal to 5¢. Therefore the total of the nickel will be equal to 5 + 5 + 5 = 15¢.

The number of pennies are 2 and each penny is worth 1¢. Therefore the total of the pennies will be 1 + 1 = 2¢.

Therefore the total will be 20¢ + 15¢ + 2¢ = 37¢.

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Answer Key

52 cents