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- A delivery robot must climb a staircase with *n* steps. Each step has an associated energy cost to step on.
- The robot can either climb 1 step or 2 steps at a time.
- When it steps on a stair, it has to pay the energy cost of that stair.

- **Goal**: Find the minimum total energy to reach the top of the staircase.

Example

- N = 10
- cost = [1, 100, 1, 1, 1, 100, 1, 1, 100, 1]
- Optimal path
  - Step of the stairs: 0 → 2 → 3 → 4 → 6 → 7 → 9
  - Cost: 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 = 7