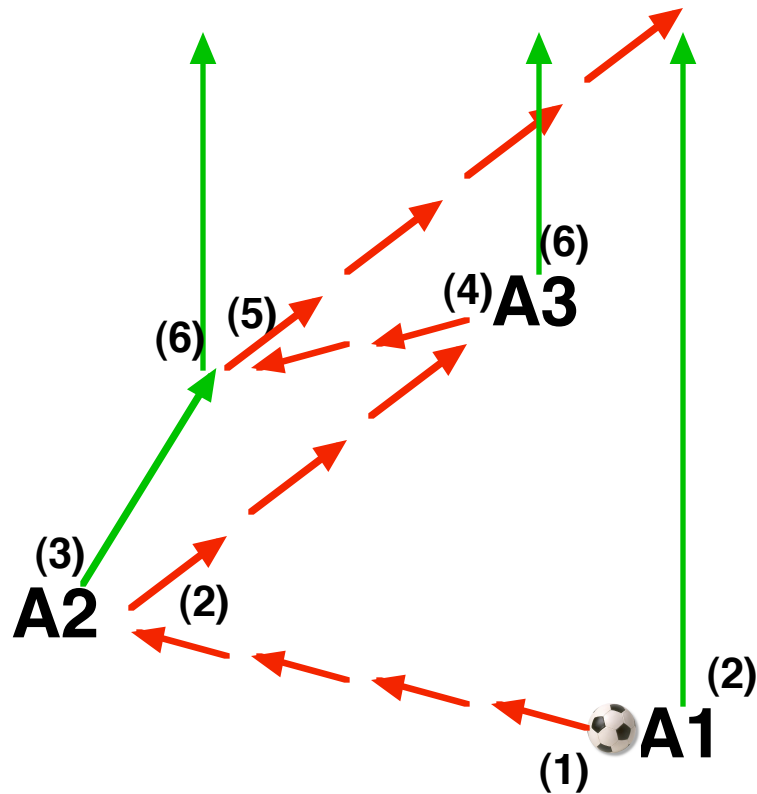


3-Player Passing Combination: “In The Middle Third”



- (1) Player A1 passes to Player A2 who is facing square to A1
- (2) A1 begins run down flank while A2 passes to Player A3 who has withdrawn and is facing square to A2
- (3) A2 moves diagonally toward A3
- (4) A3 lays ball off to A2
- (5) A2 passes down wing to A1
- (6) A2 and A3 run to goal

COACHING POINTS

- > A1 can be an outside midfielder or outside back/fullback
- > A2 can be a central midfielder or a holding or defensive midfielder
- > A3 can be a forward or another central midfielder