

Correct. The ladder, wall, and ground form a right triangle;  $a = 10$ ,  $c = 12$  and the distance from the bottom of the ladder to the wall is  $b$ . Using the Pythagorean Theorem,  $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$ , so  $10^2 + b^2 = 12^2$ . Therefore,  $b^2 = 12^2 - 10^2 = 144 - 100 = 44$ . Therefore,  $b = \sqrt{44}$ , which is approximately 6.63 feet.