



Office of Training  
and Certification

# New Jersey Division of Fire Safety

## BASIC PRACTICAL SKILLS EXAMINATION REPORT

Skill sheet #

**FF1-37**

Certification title

**Firefighter 1**

## Climbing a Ladder While Carrying a Tool

### Applicant Information

Candidate name

DFS ID #

Course #

### Evaluation

#### Standard:

**NFPA 1001, 2019 Edition  
Skill Drill 11-18  
Fire Fighter I, 4.3.12**

#### Task

Safely climb a ladder while carrying a tool.

#### Conditions and Outcome

The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder, personal protective equipment, and a small tool, such as a pick-head axe, a flathead axe, or a pike pole. The candidate shall demonstrate the ability to safely climb a ladder while carrying a tool.

**Student must successfully pass all Task Steps with 100 percent to pass this skill sheet**

Number

Task Steps

First Test

Retest #1

Retest #2

Pass

Fail

Pass

Fail

Pass

Fail

**1**

Check the ladder to ensure that it is at a safe angle to climb and is secure. Grasp the tool comfortably and securely in one hand, and hold that hand and the tool against the beam of the ladder.

**2**

Wrap the other hand around the underside of the beam and begin climbing.

**3**

Climb smoothly and safely by maintaining contact between your free hand and the beam and by sliding the tool along the opposite beam.

### Final Test Result for Entire Task

Evaluator signature & comments, Test #1

Evaluator signature & comments, Retest #1

Evaluator signature & comments, Retest #2

Evaluator signature

Date

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Candidate signature & acknowledgement,  
Test #1

Candidate signature & acknowledgement,  
Retest #1

Candidate signature & acknowledgement,  
Retest #2

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