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For each triangle, find the missing side. Keep your measurements in simplest radical form.



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Hypotenuse = Short Leg  $\cdot 2$ 

Long Leg = Short Leg  $\cdot\sqrt{3}$ 



#### 30 - 60 - 90 triangle

Find the sides. Answer in simplest radical form.



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