Proportionality Wrap-UP

In the linear proportionality model, y = mx we say in words y is proportional to x. In the squared proportionality model, $y = mx^2$ we say in words y is proportional to x^2 . In the inverse proportionality model, y = m(1/X) we say in words y is proportional to 1/x.

MODEL	When X is	Then Y is
Y = mx	doubled	
Y = mx	tripled	
Y = mx ²	doubled	
Y = mx ²	tripled	
Y = m (1/x)	doubled	
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Doubled means when x changes from 1 to 2 or from 5 to 10 or from 40 to 80 or from ...

Tripled means when x changes from 1 to 3 or from 5 to 15 or from 40 to 120 or from ...