- 11. The minimum problem is not in standard form. Condition 3 is not met; the objective function has a negative coefficient.
- **14.** The minimum problem is not in standard form. Condition 3 is not met; the objective function has a negative coefficient.
- **15. STEP 1** The problem is in standard form.
 - **STEP 2** The matrix with the objective function in the bottom row:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 6 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

STEP 3 The matrix with the rows and columns interchanged:

$$\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 2 & | & 2 \\
1 & 3 & | & 3 \\
2 & 6 & | & 0
\end{bmatrix}$$

STEP 4 The corresponding maximum problem in standard form:

Maximize

$$P = 2y_1 + 6y_2$$

subject to the constraints

$$y_1 + 2y_2 \le 2 y_1 + 3y_2 \le 3 y_1 \ge 0 y_2 \ge 0$$

This maximum problem is the dual of the minimum problem.

- **17. STEP 1** The problem is in standard form.
 - **STEP 2** The matrix with the objective function in the bottom row:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

STEP 3 The matrix with the rows and columns interchanged:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 5 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

STEP 4 The corresponding maximum problem in standard form:

Maximize

$$P = 5y_1 + 4y_2$$

subject to the constraints

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 + 2y_2 &\leq 3 \\ y_1 + y_2 &\leq 1 \\ y_1 &\leq 1 \\ y_1 &\geq 0 & y_2 &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

This maximum problem is the dual of the minimum problem.

22. STEP 1 Write the dual problem.

The matrix:
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
; its transpose: $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$;

Maximize

$$P = 3y_1 + 4y_2$$

subject to the constraints

$$y_1 + 2y_2 \le 3 y_1 + y_2 \le 4 y_1 \ge 0 y_2 \ge 0$$

STEP 2 Set up the initial tableau and use the simplex method to solve the dual problem.

STEP 3 This is the final tableau. From it we read that the minimum cost C = 9 is obtained when $x_1 = 3$ and $x_2 = 0$.

The matrix:
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 12 \\ 6 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
; its transpose: $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 4 & 12 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$;

Maximize

$$P = 4y_1 + 12y_2$$

subject to the constraints

$$y_1 + 3y_2 \le 6$$

$$y_1 + 4y_2 \le 3$$

$$y_1 \ge 0 y_2 \ge 0$$

STEP 2 Set up the initial tableau and use the simplex method to solve the dual problem.

STEP 3 This is the final tableau. From it we read that the minimum cost C = 12 is obtained when $x_1 = 0$ and $x_2 = 4$.