## Step-1

Let us consider the linear programming problem with A as the identity matrix and the vectors b and c are nonnegative.

Therefore, we can write the primal of the problem as follows.

Minimize: 🗪

Subject to **x≤b** 

And the corresponding dual of the problem is as follows.

Maximize: **by** 

Subject to **y**≤c

## Step-2

Solving the primal and the dual of the problem, we get the following results.

 $x^{\bullet} = b$ 

 $y^{\bullet} = c$ 

Therefore, the corresponding cost of primal and its dual is bc

## Step-3

Now, according to the property, if the vectors x and y are feasible and  $\mathbf{cx} = \mathbf{yb}$ , then x and y are optimal.

## Step-4

Now, if the first component of b is negative, then the optimal value of x and y are changed as shown below

 $x^{\bullet} = (0, b_2, \dots b_n)$ 

 $y^{\bullet} = (0, c_2, \_c_n)$