

**COMP 210, Spring 2000**  
**Lecture 26, Accumulators, part I**

These slides accompany Lecture 26 and are integral to understanding the lecture notes. There is just too much code to write longhand at the board.

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A city is a symbol.

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;; The information for a city can be represented as a structure
;; (make-city-info name dests)
;; where c is a city (symbol) and dests is a list of symbols
(define-struct city (name dests))
```

```
;; A route-map is a list of city-info
(define routes
  (list (make-city-info 'Houston (list 'Dallas 'NewOrleans))
        (make-city-info 'Dallas (list 'LittleRock 'Memphis))
        (make-city-info 'NewOrleans (list 'Memphis))
        (make-city-info 'Memphis (list 'Nashville)) ))
```

```
;; find-flights: city city route-map → (list of city) or false
;; Purpose: create a path of flights from start to finish or return false
(define (find-flights start finish rm) ...)
```

Examples:

```
(find-flights 'Houston 'Houston routes)
= (list 'Houston)
```

```
(find-flights 'Houston 'Dallas)
= (list 'Houston 'Dallas)
```

```
(find-flights 'Dallas 'Nashville)
= (list 'Dallas 'LittleRock 'Memphis 'Nashville)
```

## Original Version

```
;; find-flights: city city route-map → (list of city) or false
;; Purpose: create a path of flights from start to finish or return false
(define (find-flights start finish rm)
  (cond
    [(symbol=? start finish) (list start)]
    [else
     (local [(define possible-route
               (find-flights-for-list (direct-cities start rm) finish rm))]
             (cond
              [(boolean? possible-route) false]
              [else (cons start possible-route)]))] ]))

;; direct-cities: city route-map → list-of-city
;; Purpose: return a list of all cities in the route map with direct flights
;; from the city given as an argument
(define (direct-cities from-city rm)
  (local [(define from-city-info
            (filter (lambda (c)(symbol=? (city-info-name c) from-city)) rm))]
          (cond
           [(empty? from-city-info) empty]
           [else (city-info-dests (first (from-city-info)))])))

;; find-flights-for-list: list-of-city city route-map → list-of-city or false
;; Purpose: finds a flight route from some city in the input list to the
;; destination, or returns false if no such route can be found.
(define (find-flights-for-list aloc finish rm)
  (cond
    [(empty? aloc) false]
    [else
     (local [(define possible-route
               (find-flights (first aloc) finish rm))]
             (cond
              [(boolean? possible-route)
               (find-flights-for-list (rest aloc) finish rm)]
              [else possible-route]]))]))
```

## With Institutional Memory

;; find-flights: city city route-map (list of city) → (list of city) or false

;; Purpose: create a path of flights from start to finish or return false

```
(define (find-flights start finish rm visited)
  (cond
    [(symbol=? start finish) (list start)]
    [(memq start visited) false] ;; cut off this search path
    [else
     (local [(define possible-route
               (find-flights-for-list (direct-cities start rm) finish
                                     rm (cons start visited)))]
             (cond
              [(boolean? possible-route) false]
              [else (cons start possible-route)])) ] )
```

;; direct-cities: city route-map → list-of-city

;; Purpose: return a list of all cities in the route map with direct flights

;; from the city given as an argument

```
(define (direct-cities from-city rm)
  (local [(define from-city-info
            (filter (lambda (c)(symbol=? (city-info-name c) from-city)) rm))]
          (cond
           [(empty? from-city-info) empty]
           [else (city-info-dests (first (from-city-info)))])))
```

;; find-flights-for-list: list-of-city city route-map (list of city)

;; → list-of-city or false

;; Purpose: finds a flight route from some city in the input list to the

;; destination, or returns false if no such route can be found.

```
(define (find-flights-for-list aloc finish rm visited)
  (cond
    [(empty? aloc) false]
    [else
     (local [(define possible-route
               (find-flights (first aloc) finish rm visited))]
             (cond
              [(boolean? possible-route)
               (find-flights-for-list (rest aloc) finish rm visited)]
              [else possible-route]])) ] )
```