ScriptPro
Low Fares Script

Overview

Introduction	This document contains an overview of the Worldspan Low Fares Script available to users on Worldspan Go! Res.

File name

File (Script) Name	Brief Description
Z4LOFARE	Searches for the two lowest fares in the MoneySaver and Specific Airline Fares Displays using a user defined city list and a specified departure city.

Need Help?	Click on the link below to submit a question or issue to the Worldspan Help Desk: http://www.worldspan.com, then select the Help Desk Support link from the menu on the left.

Overview	This script searches for the two lowest fares in the MoneySaver and Specific Airline Fares Displays using a user defined city list and a specified departure city. The script puts the fare information in a unique remark and/or into an ASCII file that can be imported to third party software. The ASCII file is semicolon delimited. The unique remark with the fare information includes the codes **OAL-Y** or **OAL-N** to indicate if other airlines also have the same fare. When sending the fares to a file, an ellipse (**…**) follows the airline code if more airlines have the same fare.

Operating Instructions

Script Conventions

- Mandatory fields are indicated with burgundy text.
- A black arrow pointing down indicates a drop down list is available for applicable choices for the input box, or the ability to scroll for more information.
- Some dialog boxes may contain input fields with conditions that would disable other fields and/or buttons (e.g., selecting a Move option will disable the ability to select specific Rule Categories to view, or leaving a field blank disables other fields pertaining only to that blank field).
- In a list where the choices are Yes or No, leaving the field blank is also No.
- Use the <Tab> key to move in order to each input field. Use <Shift><Tab> to move in reverse order. Or use the mouse to click on the needed input field.
- Some fields contain a "hot key." This is an underlined letter. Pressing the <Alt> key and the underlined letter together will move the cursor directly to that input box.
- The <Enter> key may be used in place of the OK button.

Need to Know

Previously, Worldspan Res had provided the capability to pause and resume ScriptPro scripts using the keystroke combinations <Ctrl>W and <Ctrl>R. Go! Res cannot retain all the previous default keystrokes due to the browser defaults. The left side (terminal emulator/Go! Res) has retained some of the Worldspan keystroke defaults. If the focus is in the terminal emulator/Res side, <Ctrl>W pauses a ScriptPro script and <Ctrl>R resumes a ScriptPro script. The right side of the window (Index/Go! Res scripts) takes on the Browser/Windows keystroke and local macro defaults. HOWEVER, when the focus is in the right side/Go! Script/Index/Tools area, the <Ctrl>R may cause a Microsoft Internet Explorer error and throw the user out of the product or launch a macro, while the <Ctrl>W shuts down the product. It is important to check the focus prior to using keystroke combinations. To move the focus, click on the right or left side.

Operating Instructions, Continued

Access　　　From Worldspan Go! Res:
- Access the script from the Price Tab in the Script Index
- Select Low Fare Finder to launch the script

Or:
- Access the ScriptPro menu in Res by pressing <Ctrl>S
- Type z4lofare.csl or scroll and highlight
- <Enter>

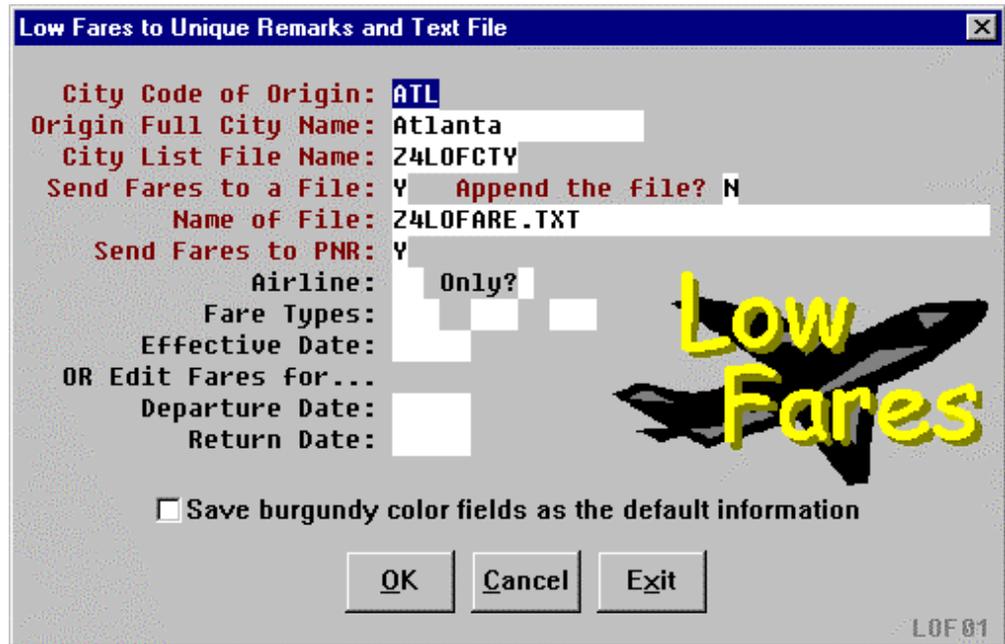**Main Menu**　　Select one of the processing options from the following Low Fares Menu
dialog box:

Operating Instructions, Continued

Start Search For Low Fares   Searches for the two lowest fares in the MoneySaver/Specific Airline Fares Displays. The search criterion in the following dialog box includes a departure city, name, and the city list file name:
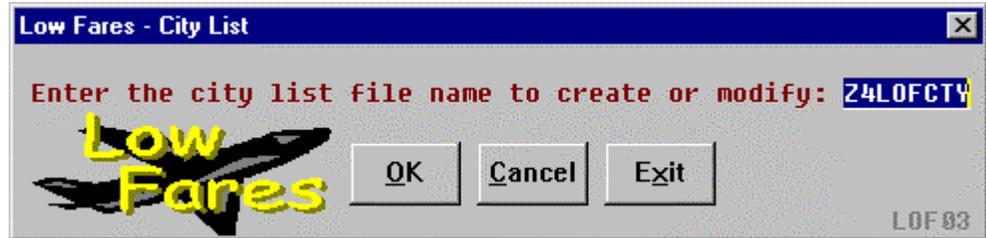

To create an ASCII file (for third party software), type a **Y** in the Send Fares to a File field. To modify an existing file, type a **Y** in the Append the file field. Include the name of the text file and extension when creating or modifying (e.g., LOWFARES.TXT). To create a PNR with the fare information, type a **Y** in the Send Fares to PNR field (this is a good feature to queue the fares within the office or to other offices). The search can be limited to a specific airline or to compare an airline with other fares in that market. Fare type codes (MLX, GVX, CH, etc.), fare effective date, departure and return dates may also be specified.
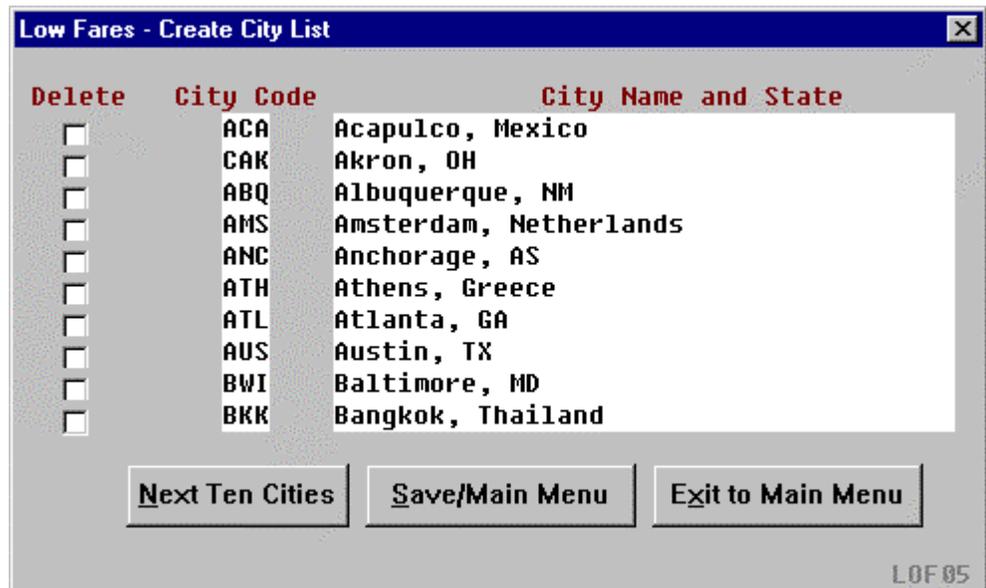
Operating Instructions, Continued

Create or Modify a City List

The script includes a default city list file called CITIES.CTY that contains selected city codes and names. The user may elect to use the default file or create an original file to better satisfy the agency needs. Type in the file name to create or modify in the following dialog:

A blank dialog box facilitates creating the list for new file names. If the file name exists, as shown below, the dialog box displays the cities that can be modified or deleted.

Save/Main Menu must be selected after modifying or creating the file.

Operating Instructions, Continued

Copy a City List

Adds the ability to copy a city list from an existing file. The following dialog box indicates MYCITIES will be created or overwritten with the information from the CITIES file once the OK button is selected.

Delete a City List

Deletes an existing city list file. Type in the city list file name to delete and select the OK button.

Error Message

Mandatory fields must be populated for the script to continue. A message box will display and after clicking on OK, the dialog box is redisplayed.

Quit

To quit or stop the script, click on the Exit Button in any dialog box, or press the Esc (escape) key.

Revisions

01/05 – Removed reference to WfW.