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find_last

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0.1 Revisions

0.1.1 Changes from R1

- Change `find_backward()` to `find_last()`.
- Wording.

0.1.2 Changes from R0

- Base synopsis on The One Ranges Proposal (P0896R4).
- Drop `std-namespace` overloads.
- Drop `find_not()` and `find_not_backward()`.

25 Algorithms library

[algorithms]

25.4 Header <algorithm> synopsis

[algorithm.syn]

```
#include <initializer_list>

namespace std {
    // 25.5, non-modifying sequence operations

    // 25.5.5, find
    template<class InputIterator, class T>
        constexpr InputIterator find(InputIterator first, InputIterator last,
                                     const T& value);
    template<class ExecutionPolicy, class ForwardIterator, class T>
        ForwardIterator find(ExecutionPolicy&& exec, // see ??
                            ForwardIterator first, ForwardIterator last,
                            const T& value);
    template<class InputIterator, class Predicate>
        constexpr InputIterator find_if(InputIterator first, InputIterator last,
                                       Predicate pred);
    template<class ExecutionPolicy, class ForwardIterator, class Predicate>
        ForwardIterator find_if(ExecutionPolicy&& exec, // see ??
                               ForwardIterator first, ForwardIterator last,
                               Predicate pred);
    template<class InputIterator, class Predicate>
        constexpr InputIterator find_if_not(InputIterator first, InputIterator last,
                                           Predicate pred);
    template<class ExecutionPolicy, class ForwardIterator, class Predicate>
        ForwardIterator find_if_not(ExecutionPolicy&& exec, // see ??
                                    ForwardIterator first, ForwardIterator last,
                                    Predicate pred);

    namespace ranges {
        template<InputIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class T, class Proj = identity>
            requires IndirectRelation<ranges::equal_to<>, projected<I, Proj>, const T*>
            constexpr I find(I first, S last, const T& value, Proj proj = {});
        template<InputRange R, class T, class Proj = identity>
            requires IndirectRelation<ranges::equal_to<>, projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>, const T*>
            constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
                find(R&& r, const T& value, Proj proj = {});
        template<InputIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
                IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<I, Proj>> Pred>
            constexpr I find_if(I first, S last, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
        template<InputRange R, class Proj = identity,
                IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Pred>
            constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
                find_if(R&& r, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
        template<InputIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
                IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<I, Proj>> Pred>
            constexpr I find_if_not(I first, S last, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
        template<InputRange R, class Proj = identity,
                IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Pred>
```

```

constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
    find_if_not(R&& r, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
}

// 25.5.6, find last
namespace ranges {
    template<ForwardIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class T, class Proj = identity>
        requires IndirectRelation<ranges::equal_to<>, projected<I, Proj>, const T*>
        constexpr I find_last(I first, S last, const T& value, Proj proj = {});
    template<ForwardRange R, class T, class Proj = identity>
        requires IndirectRelation<ranges::equal_to<>, projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>, const T*>
        constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
            find_last(R&& r, const T& value, Proj proj = {});
    template<ForwardIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
        IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<I, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr I find_last_if(I first, S last, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
    template<ForwardRange R, class Proj = identity,
        IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
            find_last_if(R&& r, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
    template<ForwardIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
        IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<I, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr I find_last_if_not(I first, S last, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
    template<ForwardRange R, class Proj = identity,
        IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
            find_last_if_not(R&& r, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
}
}

```

25.5 Non-modifying sequence operations

[alg.nonmodifying]

25.5.5 Find

[alg.find]

```

template<class InputIterator, class T>
    constexpr InputIterator find(InputIterator first, InputIterator last,
        const T& value);
template<class ExecutionPolicy, class ForwardIterator, class T>
    ForwardIterator find(ExecutionPolicy&& exec, ForwardIterator first, ForwardIterator last,
        const T& value);

template<class InputIterator, class Predicate>
    constexpr InputIterator find_if(InputIterator first, InputIterator last,
        Predicate pred);
template<class ExecutionPolicy, class ForwardIterator, class Predicate>
    ForwardIterator find_if(ExecutionPolicy&& exec, ForwardIterator first, ForwardIterator last,
        Predicate pred);

template<class InputIterator, class Predicate>
    constexpr InputIterator find_if_not(InputIterator first, InputIterator last,
        Predicate pred);
template<class ExecutionPolicy, class ForwardIterator, class Predicate>
    ForwardIterator find_if_not(ExecutionPolicy&& exec,
        ForwardIterator first, ForwardIterator last,

```

```

        Predicate pred);

namespace ranges {
    template<InputIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class T, class Proj = identity>
        requires IndirectRelation<ranges::equal_to<>, projected<I, Proj>, const T*>
        constexpr I find(I first, S last, const T& value, Proj proj = {});
    template<InputRange R, class T, class Proj = identity>
        requires IndirectRelation<ranges::equal_to<>, projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>, const T*>
        constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
            find(R&& r, const T& value, Proj proj = {});
    template<InputIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
            IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<I, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr I find_if(I first, S last, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
    template<InputRange R, class Proj = identity,
            IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
            find_if(R&& r, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
    template<InputIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
            IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<I, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr I find_if_not(I first, S last, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
    template<InputRange R, class Proj = identity,
            IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
            find_if_not(R&& r, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
}

```

1 Let E be:

- (1.1) — $*i == \text{value}$ for `find`,
- (1.2) — $\text{pred}(*i) != \text{false}$ for `find_if`,
- (1.3) — $\text{pred}(*i) == \text{false}$ for `find_if_not`,
- (1.4) — $\text{invoke}(\text{proj}, *i) == \text{value}$ for `ranges::find`,
- (1.5) — $\text{invoke}(\text{pred}, \text{invoke}(\text{proj}, *i)) != \text{false}$ for `ranges::find_if`,
- (1.6) — $\text{invoke}(\text{pred}, \text{invoke}(\text{proj}, *i)) == \text{false}$ for `ranges::find_if_not`.

2 *Returns:* The first iterator i in the range $[\text{first}, \text{last})$ for which E is true. Returns `last` if no such iterator is found.

3 *Complexity:* At most `last - first` applications of the corresponding predicate and any projection.

25.5.6 Find last

[alg.find.last]

```

namespace ranges {
    template<ForwardIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class T, class Proj = identity>
        requires IndirectRelation<ranges::equal_to<>, projected<I, Proj>, const T*>
        constexpr I find_last(I first, S last, const T& value, Proj proj = {});
    template<ForwardRange R, class T, class Proj = identity>
        requires IndirectRelation<ranges::equal_to<>, projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>, const T*>
        constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
            find_last(R&& r, const T& value, Proj proj = {});
    template<ForwardIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
            IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<I, Proj>> Pred>
        constexpr I find_last_if(I first, S last, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
    template<ForwardRange R, class Proj = identity,
            IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Pred>

```

```

    constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
        find_last_if(R&& r, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
template<ForwardIterator I, Sentinel<I> S, class Proj = identity,
        IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<I, Proj>> Pred>
    constexpr I find_last_if_not(I first, S last, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
template<ForwardRange R, class Proj = identity,
        IndirectUnaryPredicate<projected<iterator_t<R>, Proj>> Pred>
    constexpr safe_iterator_t<R>
        find_last_if_not(R&& r, Pred pred, Proj proj = {});
}

```

1 Let E be:

- (1.1) — `invoke(proj, *i) == value` for `ranges::find_last`,
- (1.2) — `invoke(pred, invoke(proj, *i)) != false` for `ranges::find_last_if`,
- (1.3) — `invoke(pred, invoke(proj, *i)) == false` for `ranges::find_last_if_not`.

2 *Returns:* The last iterator i in the range $[first, last)$ for which E is true. Returns `last` if no such iterator is found.

3 *Complexity:* At most `last - first` applications of the corresponding predicate and any projection.

25.6 Acknowledgements

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