# XXE Forrest Configuration

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> **Note:**
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> This requires XXE version 2.5p3 or higher

> **Note:**
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> This is not a particular endorsement of XXE over other xml editors. It is just that we provide this tool to take advantage of XXE.

[XMLmind XML Editor](#) is a validating XML editor featuring a word processor-like view. We support the Forrest plugin for XXE only, please direct all XXE-related questions to XXE support or mailing lists.

## 1. Upgrade

1. Delete the `forrest` directory from the XXE application config directory. (e.g. `D:\Program Files\XMLmind_XML_Editor\config`)
2. Install normally

## 2. Install

1. Extract into the XXE application config directory (e.g. `D:\Program Files\XMLmind_XML_Editor\config`)

## 3. Developer Instructions

To build the configuration:

1. Make sure the FORREST_HOME environment variable is set
2. Change directory to `forrest/tools/xxe`
3. Run `ant` in this directory

To work directly with the SVN version, check out http://svn.apache.org/repos/asf/forrest/trunk/tools/xxe/ into the `forrest` folder in the XXE `config` folder. Run the build there to copy the DTDs

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