

# Updating copyright blurbs

## Framework

- [Python script: update-copyright](#)



You need to format your copyright blurbs in a certain way to have update-copyright.py updating them automatically. Side effect: the person who does this will appear as author of all the files they modified.

## Adding Fortran support

[update-copyright-fortran.patch](#)

```
diff --git a/update_copyright/project.py b/update_copyright/project.py
index 6a4e3a8..79f7fea 100644
--- a/update_copyright/project.py
+++ b/update_copyright/project.py
@@ -181,6 +181,11 @@ class Project (object):
     authors=authors, text=self._copyright, info=self._info(),
     prefix=('/* ', ' * ', ' */'), width=self._width,
     tag=self._copyright_tag)
+
+    new_contents = _utils.update_copyright(
+        contents=new_contents, years=years,
+        authors=authors, text=self._copyright, info=self._info(),
+        prefix('!! ', '!! ', ''), width=self._width,
+        tag=self._copyright_tag)
     _utils.set_contents(
         filename=filename, contents=new_contents,
         original_contents=contents, unicode=True,
     encoding=self._encoding,
```

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