

# Excluding Tables

The Excluded Tables step allows you to exclude database tables by name.

Idera Data Compare Command Line Wizard

(Optional) Specify the database tables that you wish to exclude from data comparison.

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Source Table  
Schema  
Name

Target Table  
Schema  
Name

To delete an item, select the corresponding row and click on the Delete icon or press the Delete key. [Add to List](#) [Delete All](#)

Source Table	Target Table
HumanResources.Employee	HumanResources.Employee
HumanResources.EmployeeAddress	HumanResources.EmployeeAddress
Sales.SalesOrderDetail	Sales.SalesOrderDetail
Sales.SalesOrderHeader	Sales.SalesOrderHeader
Sales.SalesReason	Sales.SalesReason

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The following fragment is the xml generated when some tables are excluded by name:

```
<TablePairs>
  <!--**** excluded tables ****-->
  <Pair Action="Exclude">
    <LeftObject Schema="HumanResources" Name="EmployeeAddress" />
    <RightObject Schema="HumanResources" Name="EmployeeAddress" />
  </Pair>
  <Pair Action="Exclude">
    <LeftObject Schema="Sales" Name="SalesOrderDetail" />
    <RightObject Schema="Sales" Name="SalesOrderDetail" />
  </Pair>
  <Pair Action="Exclude">
    <LeftObject Schema="Sales" Name="SalesOrderHeader" />
    <RightObject Schema="Sales" Name="SalesOrderHeader" />
  </Pair>
  <Pair Action="Exclude">
    <LeftObject Schema="Sales" Name="SalesReason" />
    <RightObject Schema="Sales" Name="SalesReason" />
  </Pair>
</TablePairs>
```

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