SQL Data Compare Excluding Database Objects

You can exclude specific tables or views from data compare by listing them under the xml element `<TablePairs>` or `<ViewPairs>`.

Rules for excluding database objects are as follows:

- The attribute Action of <Pair> element should be set to Exclude
- The left and right object must be both specified for each excluded pair

The following xml fragment excludes the tables dbo.Employees and dbo.Customers from the comparison:

```
<TablePairs>
     <Pair Action="Exclude">
          <LeftObject Name="dbo.Employees"></LeftObject>
          <RightObject Name="dbo.Employees"></RightObject>
     </Pair>
     <Pair Action="Exclude">
          <LeftObject Name="dbo.Customers"></LeftObject>
          <RightObject Name="dbo.Customers"></RightObject>
     </Pair>
</TablePairs>
```

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