## **Summary Measures and Graphs**

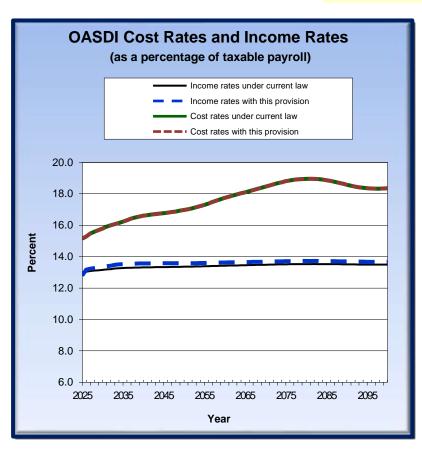
## **Category of Change: Taxation of Benefits**

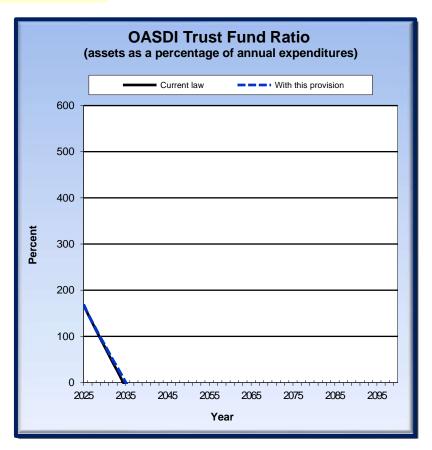
Proposed Provision: H2. Starting in 2026, tax Social Security benefits in a manner similar to private pension income. Phase out the lower-income thresholds during 2026-2045.

	Current law [percent of payroll]		
	Long-range	Annual	
	actuarial	balance in	
	balance	75th year	
	-3.82	-4.84	

Change from current law		
[percent of payroll]		
Long-range	Annual	
actuarial	balance in	
balance	75th year	
0.21	0.18	

Shortfall eliminated		
Long-range	Annual	
actuarial	balance in	
balance	75th year	
5%	4%	





Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2025 Trustees Report

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