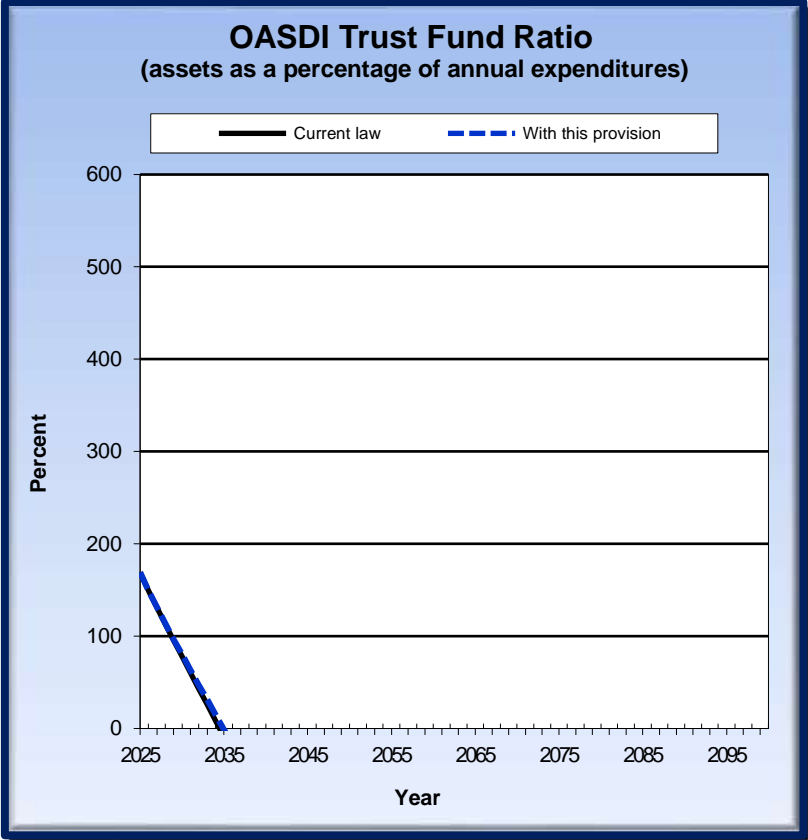
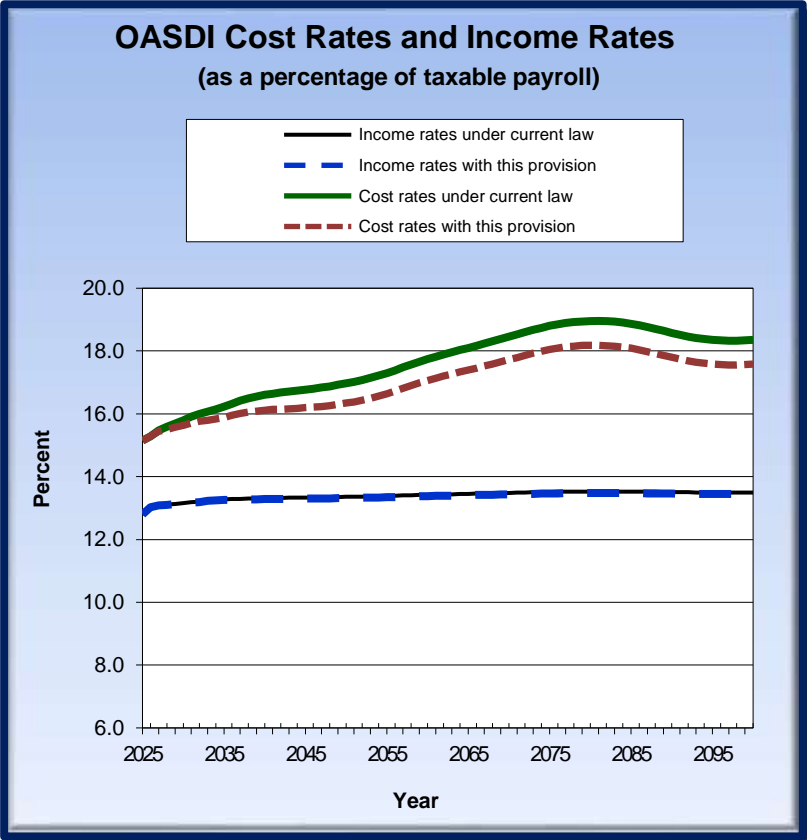


Summary Measures and Graphs

Category of Change: Cost-of-Living Adjustment

Proposed Provision: A8. Starting December 2026, for OASI beneficiaries only (DI beneficiaries would only be affected when their benefit converts to OASI at NRA), the annual COLA would be based on the chain-weighted version of the CPI-U.

Current law [percent of payroll]		Change from current law [percent of payroll]		Shortfall eliminated	
Long-range actuarial balance	Annual balance in 75th year	Long-range actuarial balance	Annual balance in 75th year	Long-range actuarial balance	Annual balance in 75th year
-3.82	-4.84	0.55	0.72	14%	15%



Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2025 Trustees Report

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