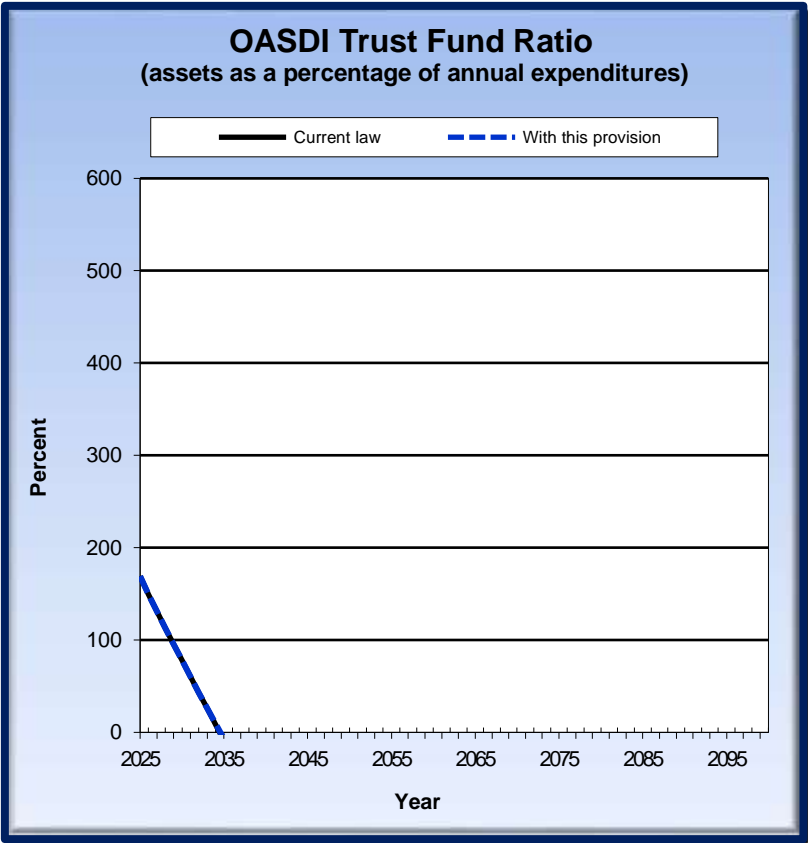
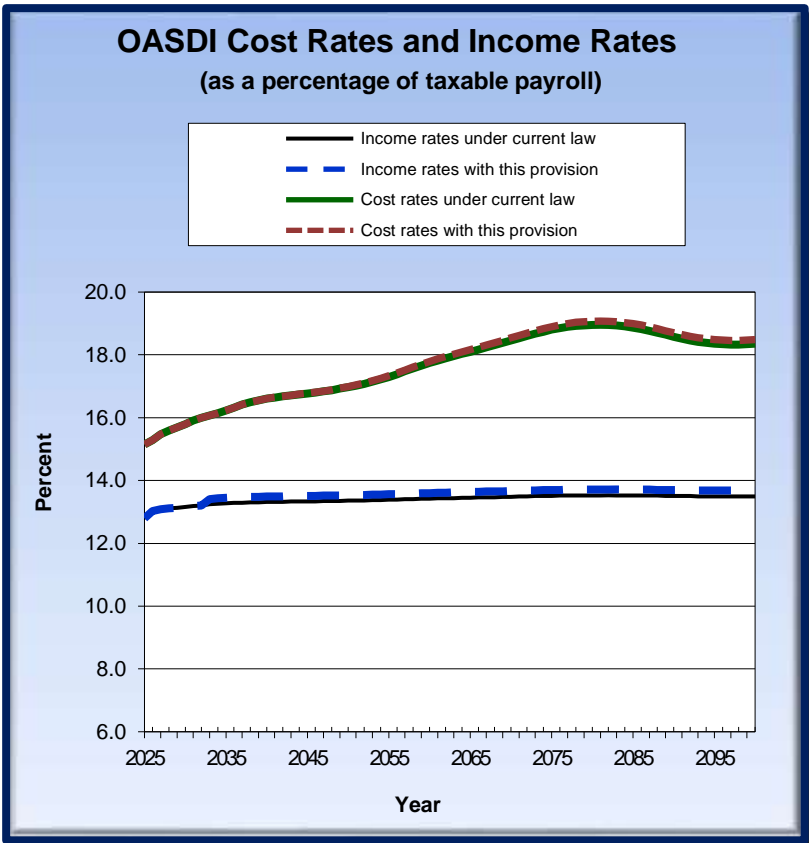


Summary Measures and Graphs

Category of Change: Payroll Taxes (including maximum taxable)

Proposed Provision: E3.12. Beginning in 2033, apply 2 percent payroll tax rate on earnings over the wage-indexed equivalent of \$400,000 in 2017 (about \$760,800 in 2033), with the threshold wage-indexed after 2033. Provide proportional benefit credit for additional earnings taxed, based on the payroll tax rate applied to the additional earnings divided by the full 12.4 percent payroll tax rate.

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	0.10	0.06	3%	1%



Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2025 Trustees Report

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