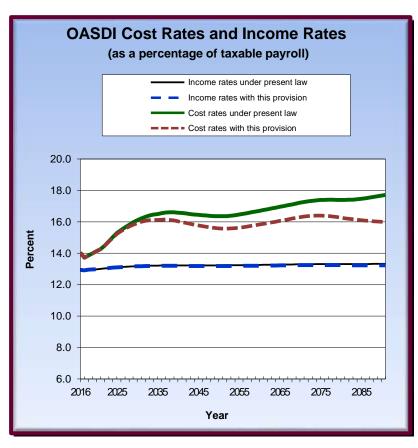
Summary Measures and Graphs Category of Change: Level of Monthly Benefits

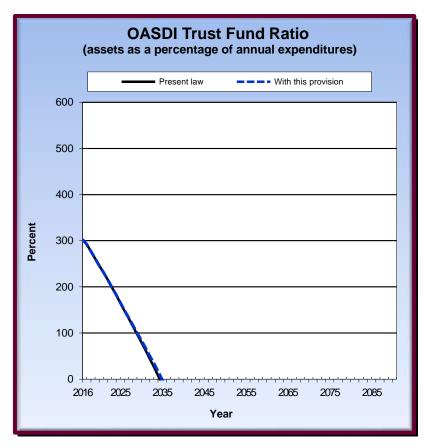
Proposed Provision: B3.7. Progressive indexing (30th percentile) of PIA factors beginning with individuals newly eligible for OASI benefits in 2019, continuing through 2028, and resuming in 2067: Create a new bend point at the 30th percentile of the AIME distribution of newly retired workers. Maintain current-law benefits for earners at the 30th percentile and below. Reduce the 32 and 15 percent factors above the 30th percentile such that the initial benefit for a worker with AIME equal to the taxable maximum is reduced by 1.21 percent per year as compared to current law (for the years that progressive indexing applies). Disabled workers are: (a) not affected prior to normal retirement age; and (b) subject to a proportional reduction in benefits, based on the worker's years of disability, upon conversion to retired-worker beneficiary status.

	Present law [percent of payroll]		
	Long-range	Annual	
	actuarial	balance in	
	balance	75th year	
	-2.66	-4.35	

Change from present law [percent of payroll]		
Long-range	Annual	
actuarial	balance in	
balance	75th year	
0.61	1.58	

Shortfall eliminated		
Long-range	Annual	
actuarial	balance in	
balance	75th year	
23%	36%	





Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2016 Trustees Report

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