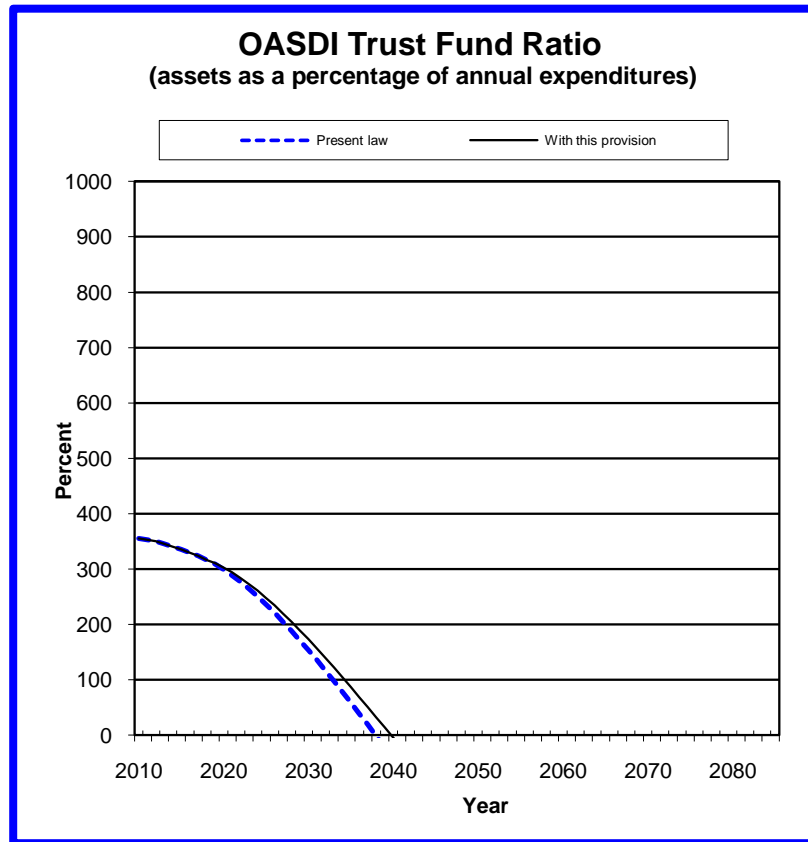
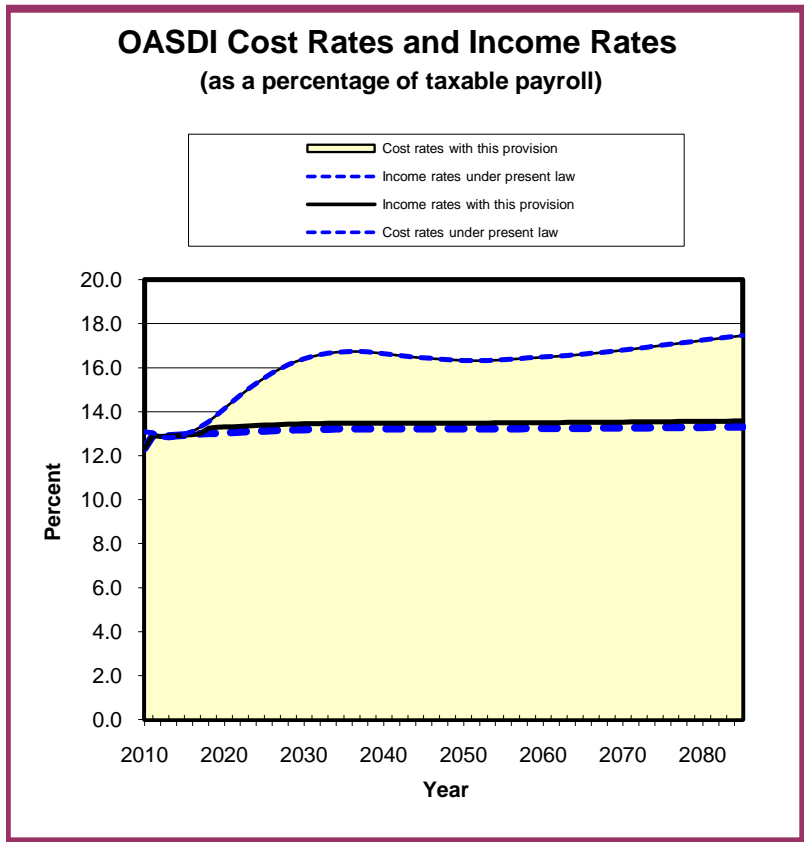


**Summary Measures and Graphs**  
**Category of Change: Payroll Taxes (including maximum taxable)**

*Proposed Provision: Apply 3 percent payroll tax rate on earnings over \$400,000 in 2018, with the \$400,000 threshold wage-indexed after 2018. Give no benefit credit for additional earnings in AIME for benefit computation.*

<u>Present Law</u>		<u>Change From Present Law in</u>		<u>Results with this provision</u>	
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
-1.92%	-4.12%	0.22%	0.27%	-1.70%	-3.84%



Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2010 Trustees Report

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