Summary Measures and Graphs

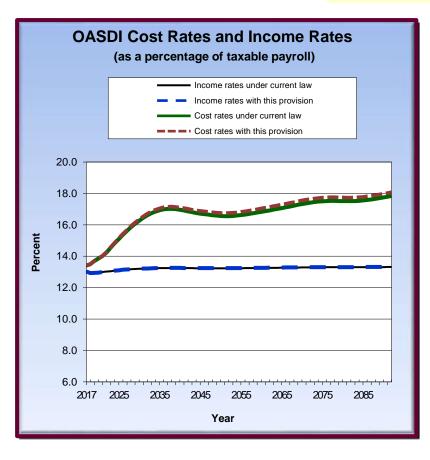
Category of Change: Level of Monthly Benefits

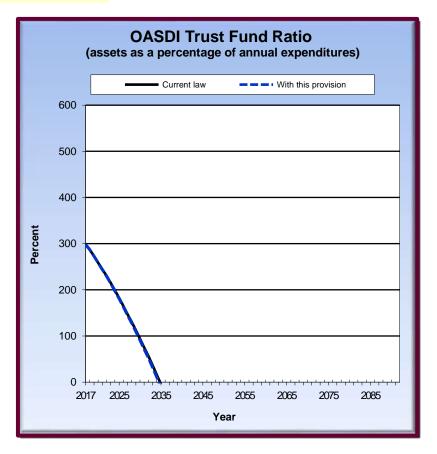
Proposed Provision: B5.2. Beginning for those newly eligible in 2018, reconfigure the special minimum benefit: (a) A year of coverage is defined as a year in which 4 quarters of coverage are earned. (b) At implementation, set the PIA for 30 years of coverage equal to 125 percent of the monthly poverty level (about \$1,238 in 2016). For those with under 30 years of coverage, the PIA per year of coverage over 10 years is \$1,238/20 = \$61.90. (c) Index the initial PIA per year of coverage by wage growth for successive cohorts.

| | Current law [percent of payroll] | | |
|--|----------------------------------|------------|--|
| | | | |
| | Long-range | Annual | |
| | actuarial | balance in | |
| | balance | 75th year | |
| | -2.83 | -4 48 | |

| Change from current law | | |
|-------------------------|------------|--|
| [percent of payroll] | | |
| Long-range | Annual | |
| actuarial | balance in | |
| balance | 75th year | |
| -0.15 | -0.22 | |

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





Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2017 Trustees Report

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