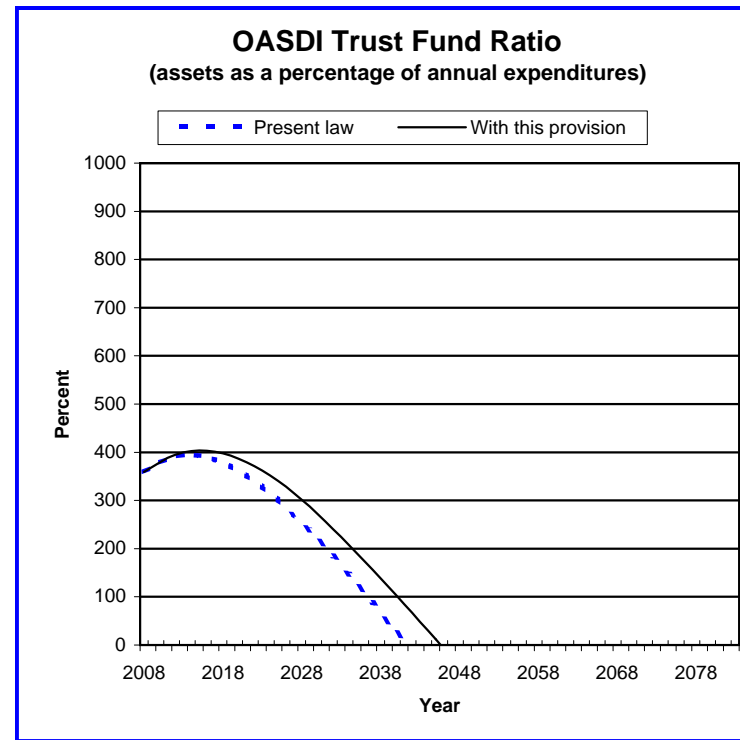
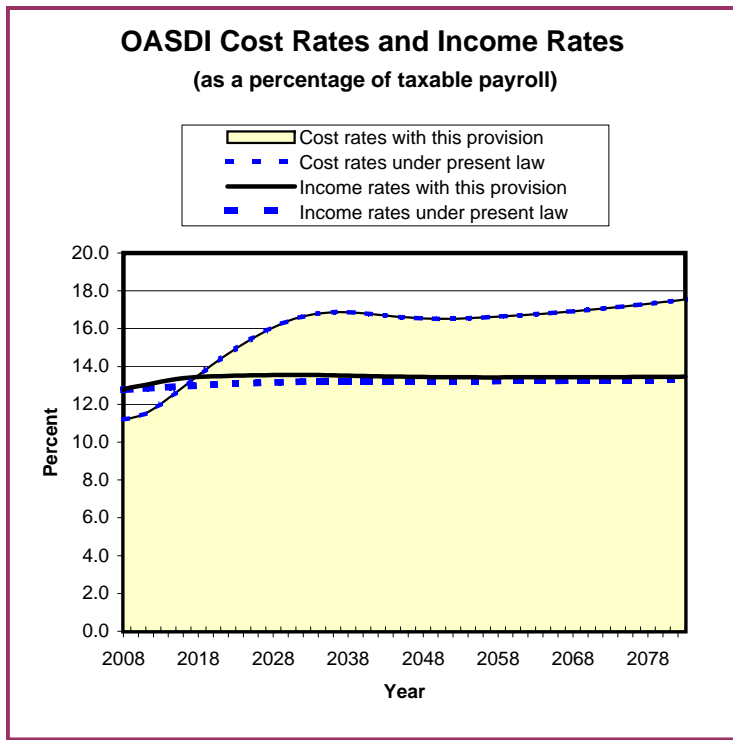


## Summary Measures and Graphs Category of Change: Taxation of Benefits

*Proposed Provision: Tax Social Security benefits in a manner similar to private pension income beginning in 2009. Phase out the lower-income thresholds during 2009-2018.*

<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
-1.70%	-4.20%	0.27%	0.16%	-1.43%	-4.04%



Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2008 Trustees Report

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