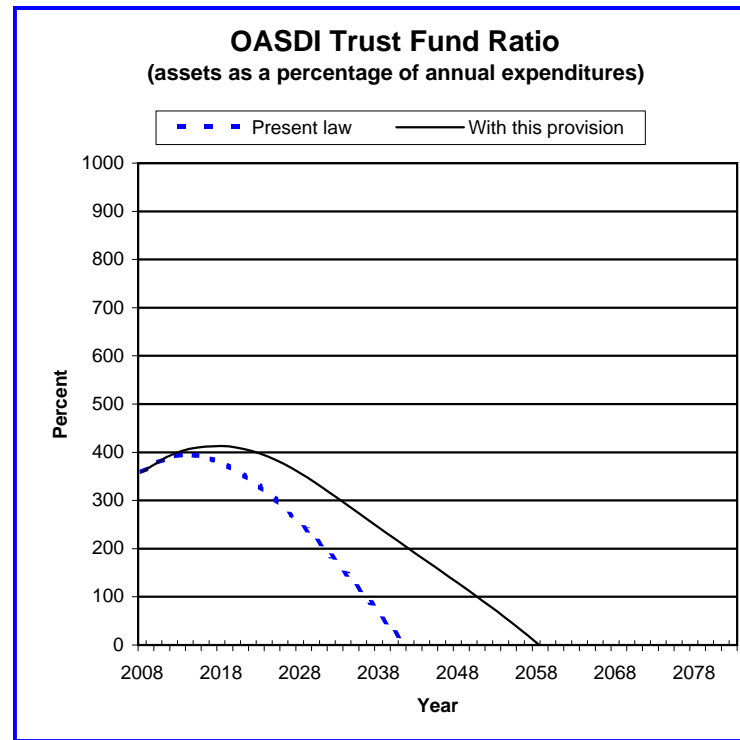
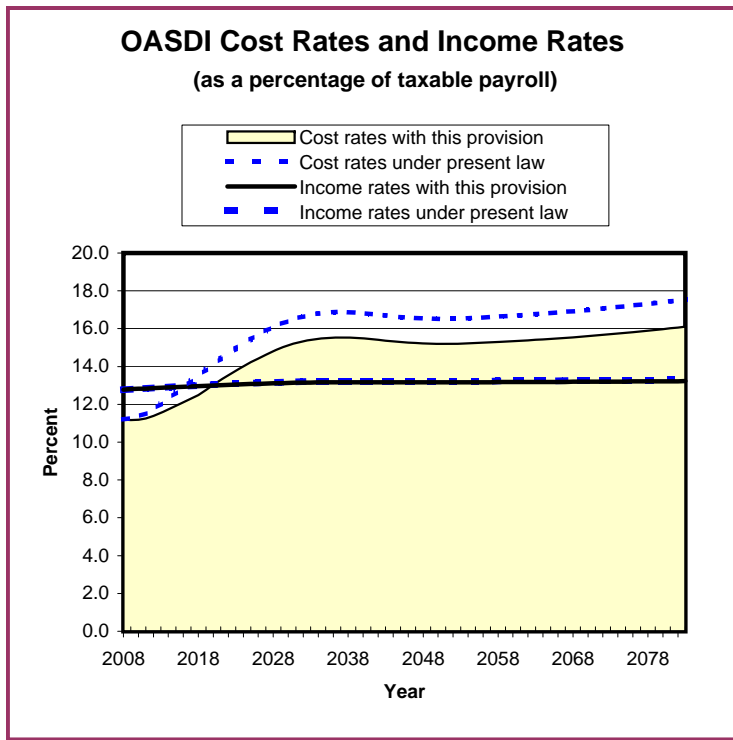


## Summary Measures and Graphs

### Category of Change: Level of OASDI Contribution and Benefit Base

*Proposed Provision: Make 90 percent of the earnings subject to the payroll tax (phased in 2009-2018), but retain the current-law taxable maximum for benefit purposes. This estimate considers all self-employed earnings in computing the percentage of earnings subject to the payroll tax.*

<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%	1.01%	1.36%	-0.69%	-2.84%



Estimates based on the intermediate assumptions of the 2008 Trustees Report

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