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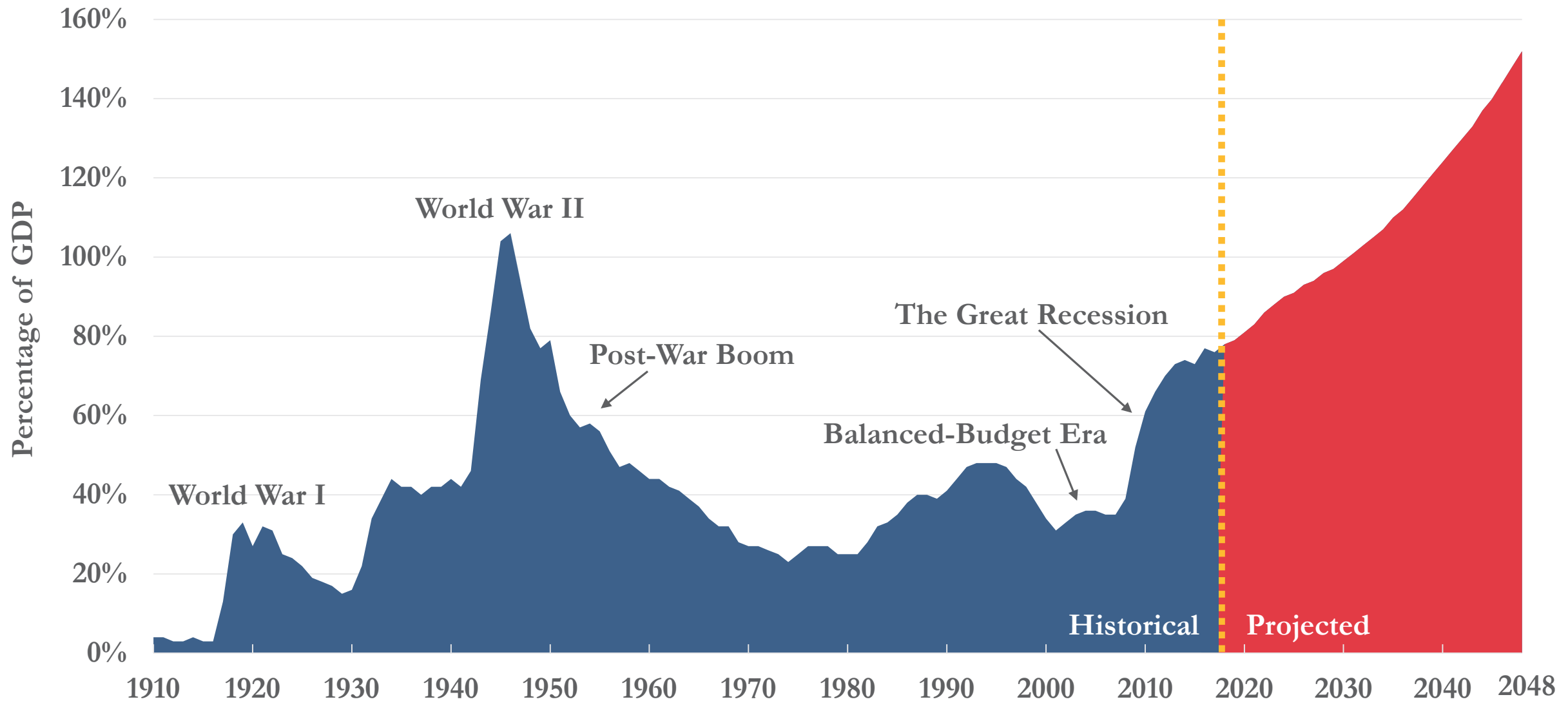
# Chartbook: What is the Long-Term Fiscal Outlook for the United States?

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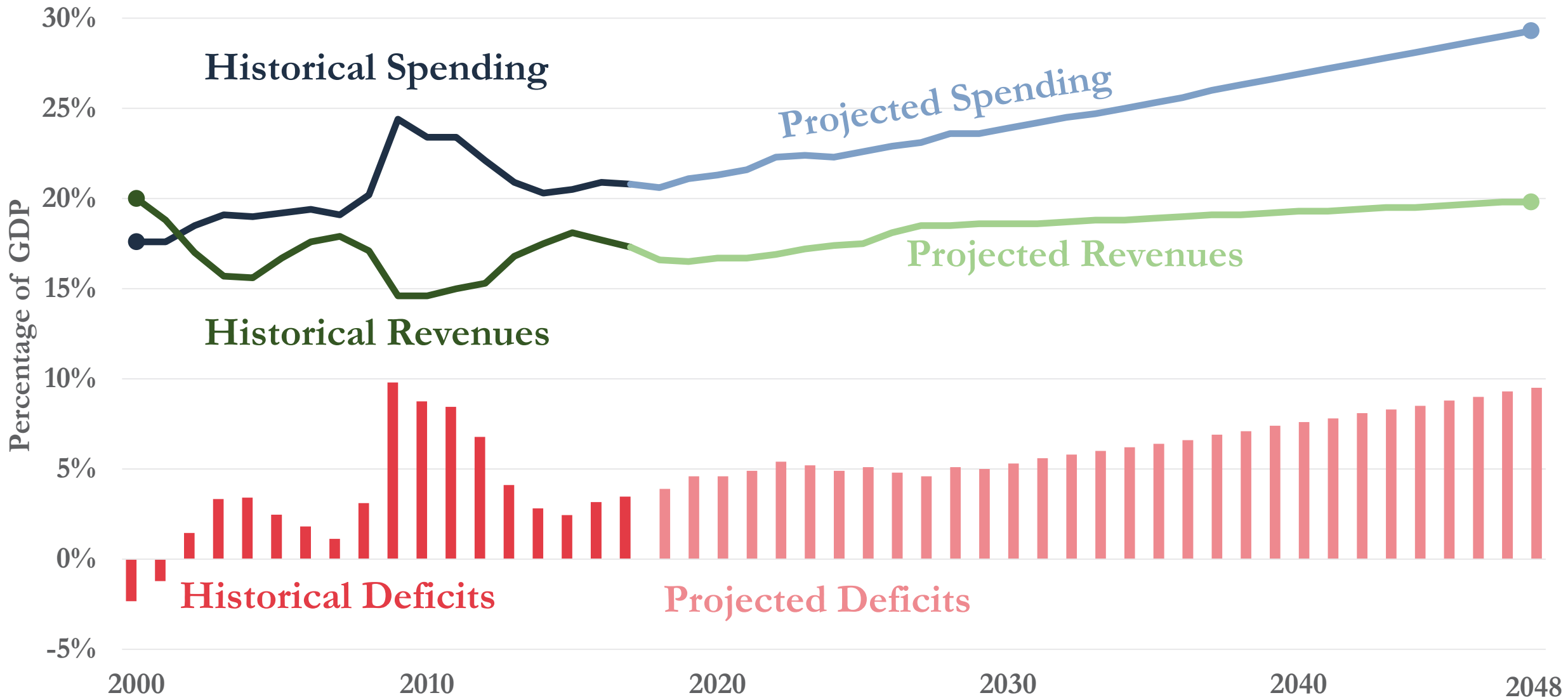
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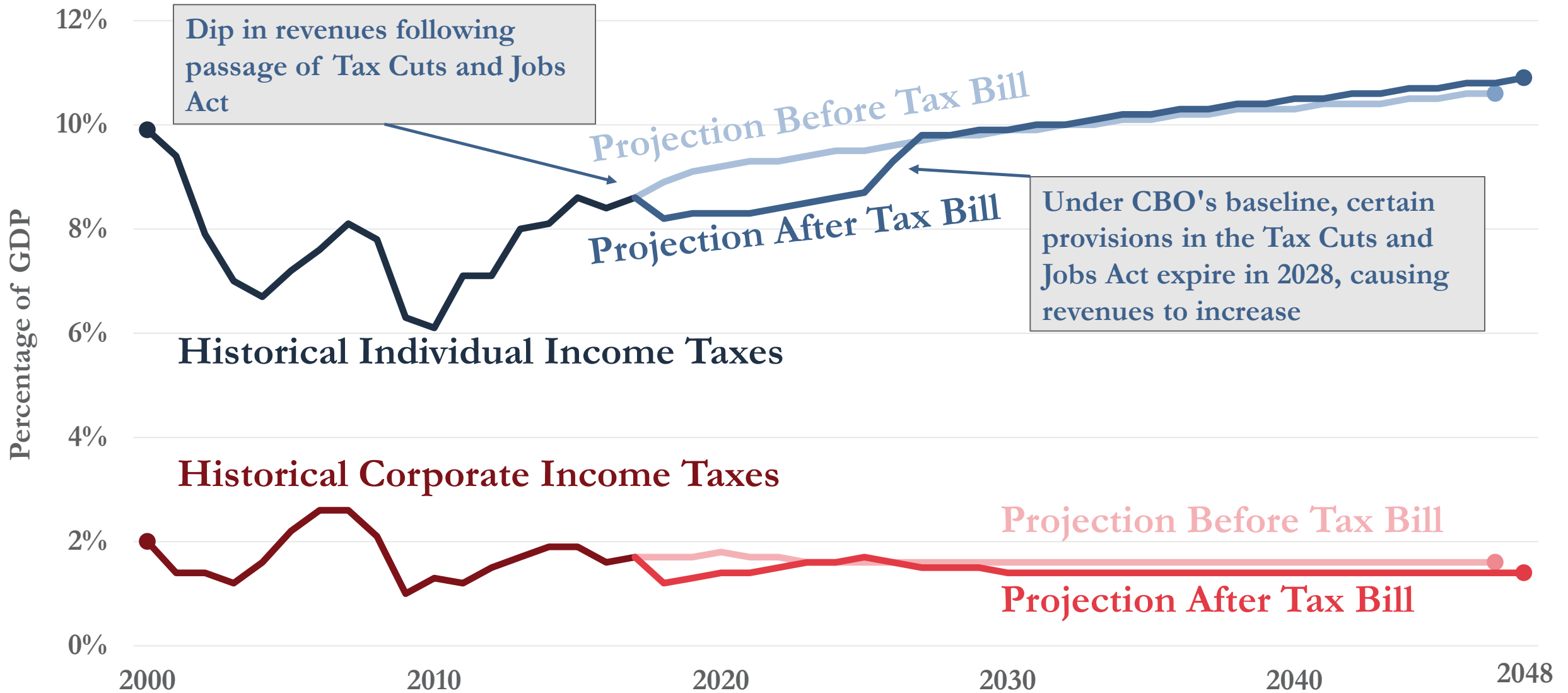
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# DEFICITS GROW AS SPENDING OUTPACES REVENUE

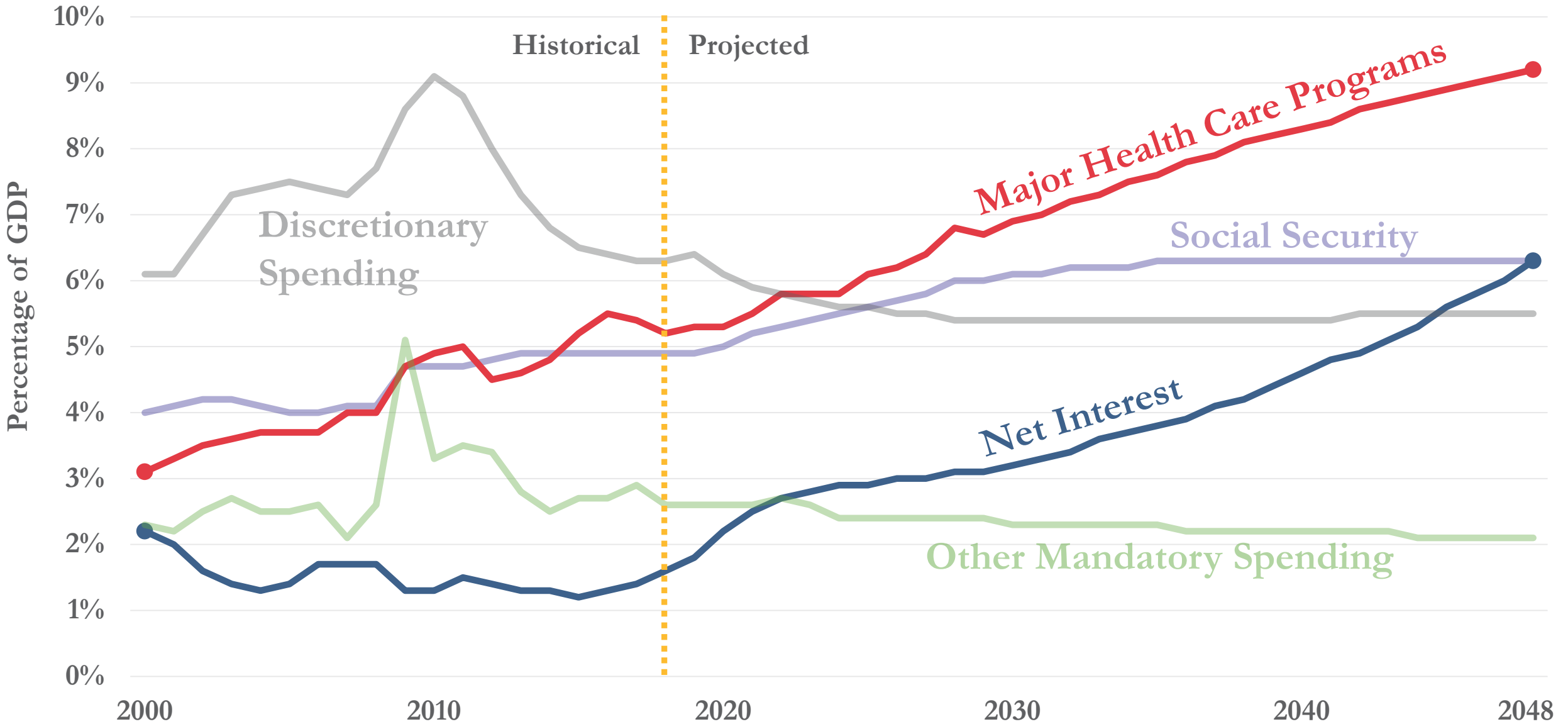


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# 2017 TAX CUT REDUCES SHORT-TERM REVENUES



# HEALTH CARE AND INTEREST PAYMENTS DRIVE SPENDING GROWTH



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