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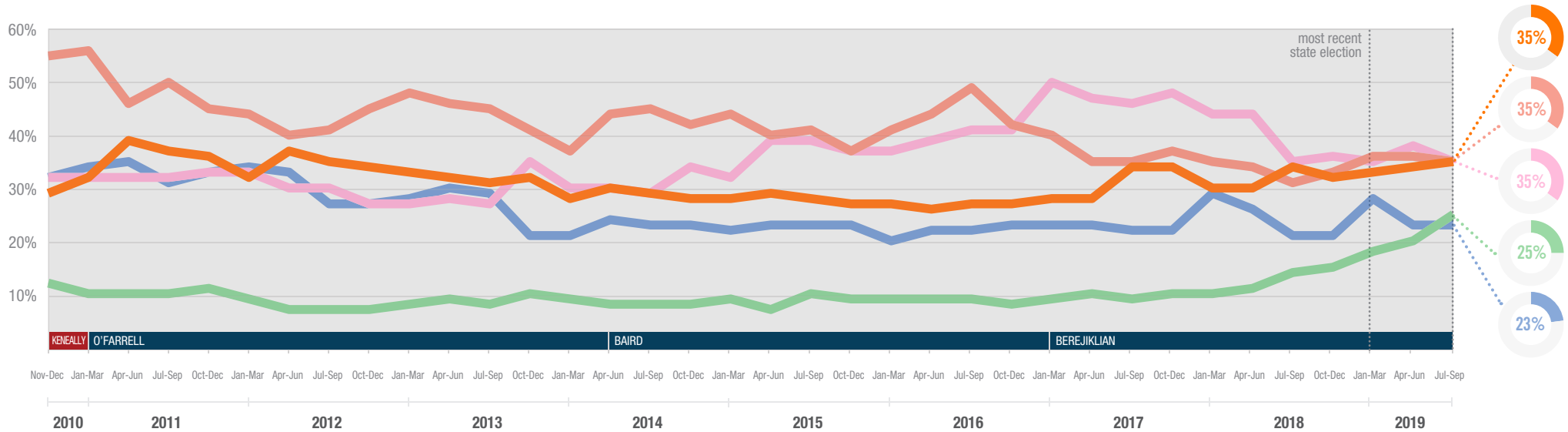
The top issues facing New South Wales

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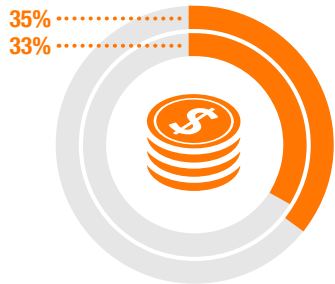


Each quarter we ask 1000 residents of New South Wales to select the three most important issues facing their state. The top five issues facing New South Wales between July and September 2019 are shown below. A summary of all issues facing New South Wales can be found overleaf. If you would like to know more about the Ipsos Issues Monitor, or Ipsos Public Affairs in New South Wales, please contact David Elliott or Stuart Clark.



Cost of Living

JUL-SEP 19
 JAN-MAR 19



Healthcare

35%
 36%



Housing

35%
 35%



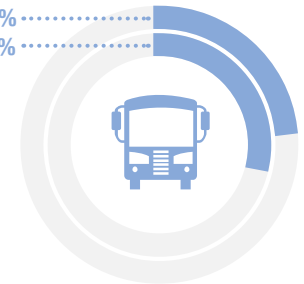
Environment

▲ 25%
 18%



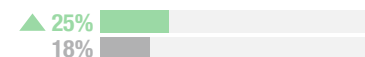
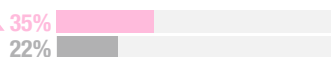
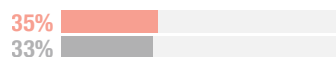
Transport

23%
 28%



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 significant difference compared with most recent state election

NSW
 REST OF AUSTRALIA



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 significant difference compared with the rest of Australia








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	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	JAN-MAR 2019	APR-JUN 2019	JUL-SEP 2019
 Cost of Living	29%	36%	34%	32%	29%	28%	27%	31%	32%	33%	34%	35%
 Healthcare	55%	49%	43%	45%	42%	41%	44%	37%	33%	36%	36%	35%
 Housing	32%	32%	30%	29%	30%	37%	39%	48%	40%	35%	38%	35%
 Environment	12%	10%	8%	9%	8%	9%	9%	9%	12%	18%	20%	25%
 Transport	32%	33%	30%	27%	23%	23%	22%	22%	24%	28%	23%	23%
Crime	25%	25%	32%	33%	30%	24%	25%	22%	20%	19%	18%	19%
Population	9%	7%	7%	6%	6%	8%	10%	13%	17%	19%	17%	17%
Poverty	6%	6%	7%	7%	10%	9%	10%	10%	13%	11%	12%	14%
Education	17%	14%	17%	20%	20%	18%	19%	16%	15%	16%	14%	14%
The Economy	15%	16%	16%	16%	18%	17%	14%	11%	11%	9%	13%	13%
Drug Abuse	12%	10%	11%	12%	14%	16%	16%	14%	13%	15%	11%	13%
Unemployment	10%	11%	16%	19%	25%	25%	21%	19%	14%	11%	12%	12%
Personal Debt	12%	11%	11%	8%	7%	7%	8%	10%	11%	10%	12%	12%
Immigration	7%	8%	8%	10%	7%	9%	10%	11%	14%	12%	12%	10%
Petrol Prices	11%	19%	19%	16%	14%	10%	7%	9%	15%	12%	13%	10%
Taxation	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	7%	6%	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%
Racism	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%	6%	6%	5%	4%	4%	3%	3%
Defence	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	6%	6%	6%	4%	3%	3%	3%
Indigenous Issues	4%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%