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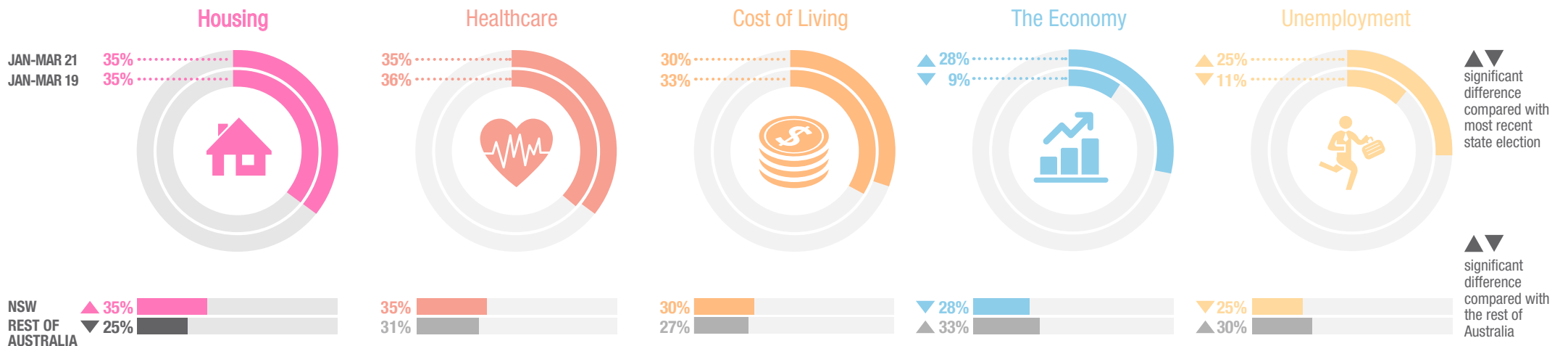
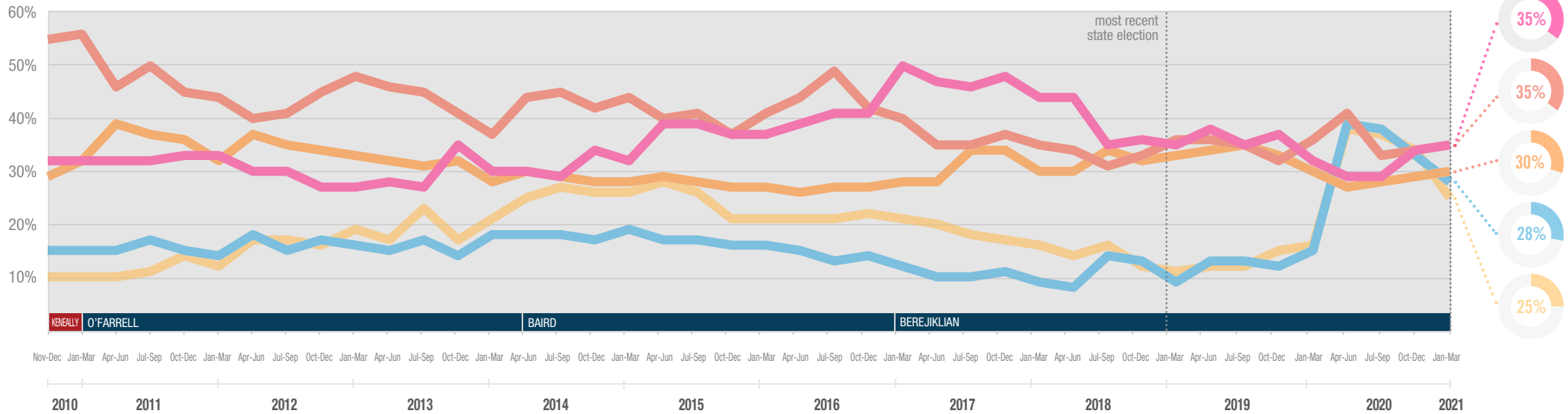
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Each quarter we ask 1000 residents of New South Wales to select the three most important issues facing their state. The top five issues facing New South Wales between January and March 2021 are shown below. A summary of all issues facing New South 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.





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	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	JAN-MAR 2021
Housing	32%	32%	30%	29%	30%	37%	39%	48%	40%	36%	31%	35%
Healthcare	55%	49%	43%	45%	42%	41%	44%	37%	33%	35%	36%	35%
Cost of Living	29%	36%	34%	32%	29%	28%	27%	31%	32%	34%	28%	30%
The Economy	15%	16%	16%	16%	18%	17%	14%	11%	11%	12%	32%	28%
Unemployment	10%	11%	16%	19%	25%	25%	21%	19%	14%	12%	31%	25%
Environment	12%	10%	8%	9%	8%	9%	9%	9%	12%	23%	22%	22%
Crime	25%	25%	32%	33%	30%	24%	25%	22%	20%	19%	15%	17%
Transport	32%	33%	30%	27%	23%	23%	22%	22%	24%	24%	16%	15%
Poverty	6%	6%	7%	7%	10%	9%	10%	10%	13%	12%	12%	13%
Education	17%	14%	17%	20%	20%	18%	19%	16%	15%	15%	13%	12%
Population	9%	7%	7%	6%	6%	8%	10%	13%	17%	17%	12%	12%
Drug Abuse	12%	10%	11%	12%	14%	16%	16%	14%	13%	13%	10%	11%
Petrol Prices	11%	19%	19%	16%	14%	10%	7%	9%	15%	12%	8%	10%
Personal Debt	12%	11%	11%	8%	7%	7%	8%	10%	11%	11%	10%	9%
Immigration	7%	8%	8%	10%	7%	9%	10%	11%	14%	12%	9%	8%
Racism	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%	6%	6%	5%	4%	3%	4%	6%
Taxation	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	7%	6%	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%
Indigenous Issues	4%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	5%
Defence	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	6%	6%	6%	4%	3%	2%	3%