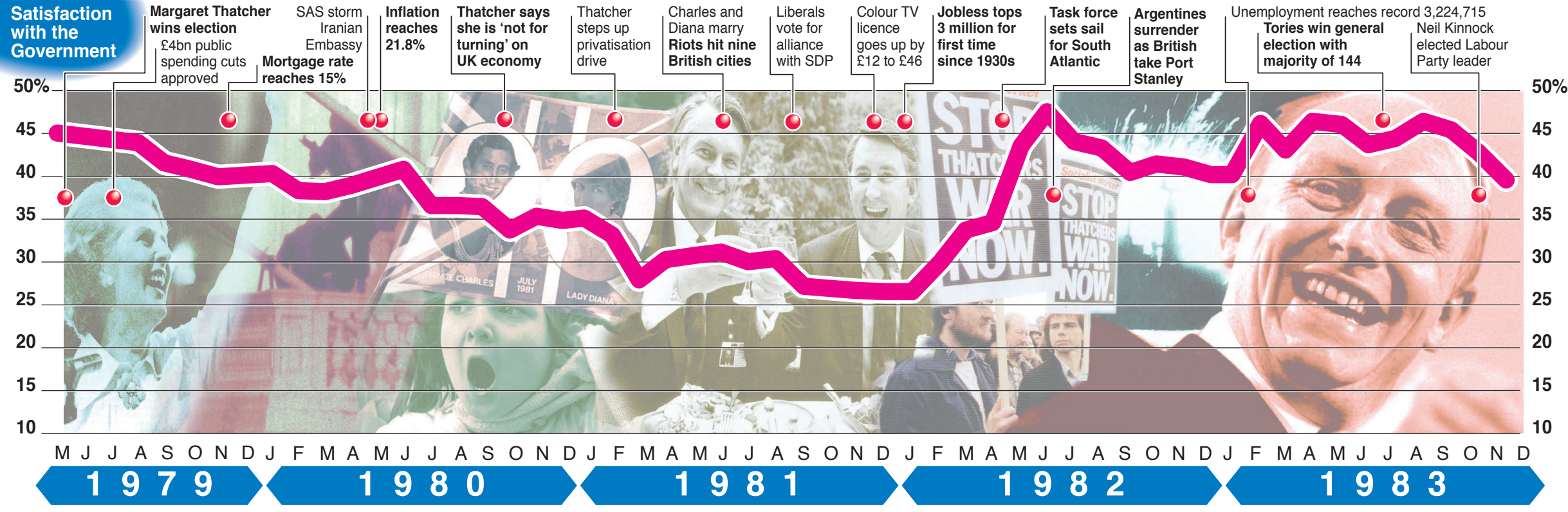
Satisfaction with the Government
Margaret Thatcher wins election
£4bn public spending cuts approved
Mortgage rate reaches 15%
SAS storm Iranian Embassy
Inflation reaches 21.8%
Thatcher says she is 'not for turning' on UK economy
Thatcher steps up privatisation drive
Charles and Diana marry
Riots hit nine British cities
Liberals vote for alliance with SDP
Colour TV licence goes up by £12 to £46
Jobless tops 3 million for first time since 1930s
Task force sets sail for South Atlantic
Argentines surrender as British take Port Stanley
Unemployment reaches record 3,224,715
Tories win general election with majority of 144
Neil Kinnock elected Labour Party leader
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