



# AVCX CLASSIC

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"Tunnel Vision"

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Difficulty level: ●●●●●

### ACROSS

- 1 Burned in the '90s, maybe
- 5 TV network and production house for arthouse flicks
- 8 Be short with
- 14 Country whose national dish is nasi lemak (coconut milk rice)
- 16 Falafel topper
- 17 Afterglow from a massage?
- 18 "The Handmaid's Tale" actress Strahovski
- 19 Hype (up)
- 20 "Catch-22" novelist Joseph
- 22 Buttercup relatives that share a name with coral relatives
- 23 Like nearly half of all blood donors
- 24 A little bit of everything?

- 28 "... and answer'st not? / Dromio, thou drone, thou snail, thou slug, thou \_\_\_!": Luciana, "The Comedy of Errors"
- 30 Norse pantheon
- 32 Altar affirmation
- 33 Sandbars
- 36 Swell guys to have in your corner?
- 38 Advocate
- 40 Most chic
- 41 Nasal speech patterns
- 42 It cracks open a cold one
- 43 Behavioral quirk
- 44 Stuttgart salutation
- 46 Boxer Laila
- 49 All \_\_\_
- 51 Oversimplified characterization
- 52 Singles
- 53 It's short on shorts
- 56 Personal code?

- 57 Trader Vic's trademark
- 60 "Grand Theft Auto" setting based on Miami
- 63 "[T]he quickest way to Harlem," in song
- 64 Cutoffs on calendars
- 65 They might get stranded in Tahiti
- 66 Cephalopod's ink holder
- 67 "Abuse of power comes \_\_\_ surprise": Jenny Holzer

### DOWN

- 1 Those who are at the back of the pack
- 2 Where Tara Lipinski won Olympic gold
- 3 Scarce resource in studio apartments
- 4 Celebratory dance move
- 5 Prefix with metric or tropic

- 6 Stretched yarn?
- 7 Popular '50s frames
- 8 One who slays
- 9 Cathedral section where the pews are
- 10 Now, in Nogales
- 11 Wrestling match ender
- 12 The elder Wilson sister in Heart
- 13 Draw
- 15 Cried in pain
- 21 33⅓ rpm spinners
- 25 1981 film with the tagline "... they didn't make history, they stole it!"
- 26 Some words from Wordsworth
- 27 \_\_\_ Blanc
- 29 Coarse
- 31 Use as a portal, say
- 34 Darlin'
- 35 Ones who slay
- 37 La hermana de la madre

- 38 James who sang "Tell Mama"
- 39 Gulp from a flask
- 40 Sicilian tourist town in Season 2 of "The White Lotus"
- 42 Cuts apart (or binds together)
- 45 Cell signal inits.
- 47 Kind of fast?
- 48 Self-justifying "explanation"
- 50 Instrument for Anoushka Shankar
- 54 Get exactly right
- 55 Fronted
- 57 Orientation guide?
- 58 Consumed
- 59 Public radio's Flatow or Glass
- 61 U.S. government arm whose acronym omits "and Prevention"
- 62 Show biz repping org. that shares its initials with a U.S. president

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