## **Does Not Compute**

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## **ACROSS**

- 1 Normcore pants material
- **6** Like many A24 films
- 10 Parent company of Postmates
- **14** Try to compress, as a vacuum bag
- 15 Console that sounds like two pronouns
- **16** \_\_\_ As...
- 17 What 36-Across has been since computer scientist Stephen Cook first posed it in 1971
- 20 It goes without saying?
- 21 This blows!
- 22 Brew that originated in the UK, ironically
- 23 Character shipped with Misty in Pokémon fanon
- 24 Gutsy wager
- 27 Hawke of "First Reformed"
- 29 Bored hiker's rock creation
- **31** Drops a line, AOL-style
- 32 They better watch out!
- 33 James sampled in Flo Rida's "Good Feeling"
- 34 One might be named Yolk-o Ono or Princess Lay-a
- **35** Apple Jacks and Cheerios, geometrically
- 36 Computational discovery that would crack many difficult algorithms ... and a hint to 6 squares in this puzzle
- **39** Top of the food pyramid, traditionally
- **40** Automaker that sponsors the WNBA MVP Award
- **41** Took to the streets?

- 45 Garbo
- 47 "Zoo mama!"
- 48 Handed (out)
- **49** Prefix for -gon in geometry, or -pod in "Arrival"
- 50 Augment
- **52** Sans extra gravy, as Italian beef
- 53 Greek letter that sounds like a programming language
- **54** Certain boxcar in "Conjunction Junction"
- **56** Have because of
- 58 \$1,000,000 award you'd win for determining 36-Across, since 2000
- **63** "Your money's no good here"
- 64 Bit of change
- 65 Point towards
- **66** e, in e^x
- **67** What connects two vertices in a graph
- 68 Most "Euphoria" characters, dubiously

## **DOWN**

- 1 Largest college system in the US
- 2 Suggests with a wink
- **3** Cry in baseball or Battleship
- 4 Putdown sometimes spelled with two zeros
- 5 Temporarily playing for another team
- **6** Emotion inspired by earth porn
- **7** Disposed (of)
- 8 What cheap pianos in a late-1800s New York alley sounded like, apparently
- **9** Space Race winner Gagarin

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- 10 Drive planted by the Riddler in "The Batman"
- 11 "Better Call Saul" episode named after a "South Pacific" song Jimmy sings to Kim
- 12 Just as many golf strokes as expected
- 13 Place in custody before trial
- 18 \_\_\_Shop (University of Tennessee merch store)
- 19 The Duck Store (University of \_\_\_ merch store)
- 23 Get an A on ... or something with an A on it
- 25 Word that can go in place of "place" in this clue
- 26 "Gimme a sec!" (as heard from the bathroom)

- 28 Declare for the draft, maybe
- idea

  34 Apple Park and the Googleplex, for

short

30 Bounced off, like an

- 35 "I'll be all over you, like I'm \_\_\_" (line from Vulfpeck's "LAX")
- 37 Natural gas that isn't named after a guy named 27-Across
- **38** Said you never pick your nose, e.g.
- 39 Tropical trees with outspread leaves
- 42 Nostalgia-evoking
- 43 DeMar who's the only NBA player to shoot game-winning buzzer beaters two days in a row (2021-22)
- **44** Dreyer's partner-in-cream

- **45** Group you don't wanna mess with
- 46 Apple display spec named for a body part
- **47** "You've been \_\_\_"
- **48** Perfectly mastered, as a skill
- 51 Talking \_\_\_ Cat (virtual pet app)
- 55 "You shouldn't grab me, Johnny. My mother grabbed me \_\_\_ ... \_\_\_!" ("Johnny Dangerously" quote)
- 57 US home of the Ontario Hockey League's Otters
- **59** Spike with joints
- **60** End of a certain Mad Libs prompt
- **61** Four Corners region people
- **62** Many "Mars Needs Moms" characters, for short