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The answer to the meta is an adjective

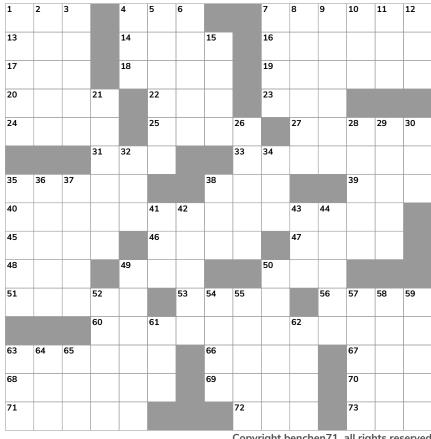
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- 1 Beatles song, "Polythene __
- 4 "I really don't like the look of that!"
- 7 Common method of quality control and data analysis, ___ inspection
- 13 Lamb's mother
- 14 Commando action
- 16 Genre that fuses elements of hip hop with rock music characterized by an emphasis on deep feelings
- 17 Used a chair
- **18** Wholemeal wheat flour used to make flatbreads like naan
- 19 Powder mixtures used in laser printing
- 20 Tintin book, "The _ with the Golden Claws'
- 22 Animal that's part of the family
- 23 "Ab ___" (from the beginning)
- 24 Not doing anything
- 25 "Now!"
- 27 Publicist's concern
- 31 One way in which a batter can be dismissed in cricket (abbr.)
- 33 Nicolas Cage's '67 Ford Mustang from "Gone in 60 Seconds" (with "The")
- 35 __ waves, a type of electromagnetic radiation with wavelengths longer than infrared light
- to a Small Lump of Green Putty I Found in My Armpit One Midsummer Morning" (poem by Grunthos the Flatulent)
- **39** State on the southwestern coast of India

- 40 What you really don't want to find in vour finances or your heart monitor readings, and a hint to solving the meta
- 45 What comes after "huit"
- 46 How many runs someone made in cricket if they went out for a duck
- 47 Up to the task
- 48 Global leader in speedcubes (according to their website), ___cube
- **49** Prepare to shoot
- 50 Ubiquitous movie magic (abbr.)
- 51 Man with a list, ___ Schindler
- 53 State where you'll find Zion National Park
- **56** Region
- **60** Perfect reflections (and something that is not present in this grid, even taking rotational symmetry into account)
- 63 The Maid of Orleans, but from a religious perspective
- 66 One of four for a square
- 67 Physicians, for short
- 68 Small children in Northern Ireland
- 69 Noticed
- 70 How Wall-E pronounces his robot friend's name
- **71** Superfluous
- 72 Hallucinogenic initials
- **73** Flute that figures prominently in Middle Eastern music

DOWN

- 1 "My Cousin Vinny" actor, Joe ___
- 2 Oscar, for example



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- 3 One of a majority of the Periodic Table
- 4 Paul's cousin on 'Mad About You"
- 5 End of a feline leg
- 6 What you can see in the sky during Uttarayan
- 7 Presidential rejection
- 8 Apple video-editing app
- 9 California wine county
- 10 Ending for past or post
- 11 Swiss river (or a pirate noise, perhaps?)
- 12 Vinyl collection
- 15 "Next Generation" android
- **21** Conviction
- 26 "Vote for ___ ("Napoleon Dynamite" reference)
- 28 Demon's adversary

- 29 Maverick's best friend in "Top Gun"
- **30** Historic period
- 32 Marshy area
- 34 Flowery welcome
- 35 First name of the drummer for 1 across
- **36** Regions
- 37 "What's so unpleasant about being ___?" "Ask a glass of water.'
- **38** Water propulsion pole
- 41 Gun that Lara Croft uses in "Tomb Raider" (later in the game)
- **42** King Julien, for example
- 43 Identify, in a Facebook photo
- 44 Mediterranean island known for its nightlife, EDM, and summer club scene

- 49 "Thank U, Next" artist, ___ Grande
- 50 Scolds mildly
- 52 French romance
- **54** "I don't give a ___ (British exclamation of not caring)
- 55 Disney mermaid
- 57 "Parsley, Is gharsley" poet, ___ Nash
- **58** Hit a ___ (evoke a strong emotional reaction)
- 59 Long-form non-fiction writing
- 61 Heroes of hospitals, for short
- 62 Repair
- 63 Neighbour of Fin.
- **64** Typesetting system used for displaying complex mathematical formulae
- 65 Australian band known for "Are You Gonna Be My Girl"