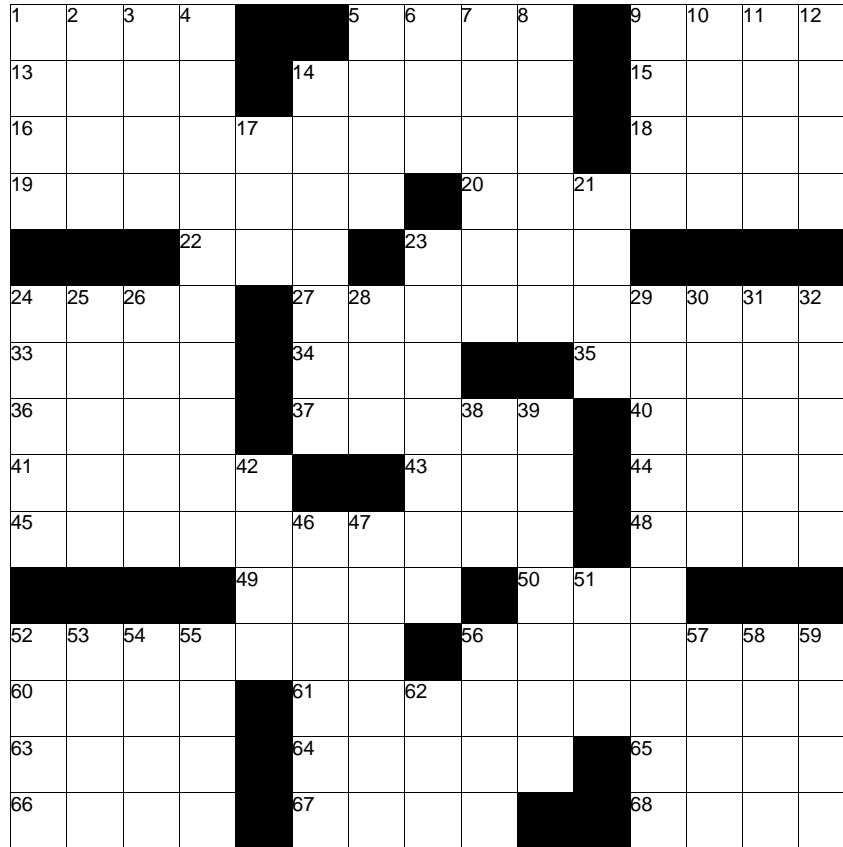


Two-Point Conversions, 3/22/06 (Wednesday)

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ACROSS

1. Synthesizer inventor Robert
5. "Yan Can Cook" cookers
9. See stars, maybe
13. Libra's birthstone, maybe
14. "Sexy" woman in a Beatles song title
15. "Habanera," for one
16. End of a beach fad?
18. Debauches
19. Verse form used by Dante
20. Indomitable
22. TV schedule abbr.
23. SoHo pad, maybe
24. Load
27. Webmaster's fear?
33. Air Wick target
34. Shag, e.g.
35. Book keeper
36. Tegan's musical partner
37. Maker of Pong
40. "Fijación ___ Vol. 1" (Shakira album)
41. Trigonometry symbol
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68. What Venn diagram circles represent

DOWN

1. Disorderly crowds
2. Student of Miss Crump, on '60s TV
3. Kentucky ___ (annual Churchill Downs race for fillies)
4. Fashionistas
5. Pedal-operated electric guitar effect
6. ___ Mae Brown ("Ghost" role)
7. Somewhat
8. Accompany to the airport, say
9. Teri of "After Hours"
10. World Baseball Classic teammate of "The Rocket"
11. It's tubular
12. Mollify

14. Farrow's first husband
17. Penpoint
21. "All Shook Up" songwriter Blackwell
23. Food Network star
24. Newsgroup reading
25. Its area code is 208
26. Frequent costar of Mastroianni
28. Groove
29. Piece you can play with two fingers
30. Spookily strange
31. Color that symbolizes égalité
32. Highest and lowest black key on a piano
38. Chinese zodiac animal before ox
39. Check out
42. "You Shook Me All Night Long" band
46. Acts the blowhard

47. More work
51. Plain
52. "Andy ___"
53. Home to the David Geffen School of Medicine
54. Country dance
55. Brody of "The O.C."
56. Prince Charles's sister
57. On the safe side, at sea
58. Passion Sunday occurs during it
59. Former barrier breakers
62. McKellen of "Gods and Monsters"