

# A Taxing Situation

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## Across

- 1. Asian weight unit
- 5. Dig, so to speak
- 10. South American edible tuber
- 13. Black
- 14. Japanese-American
- 15. Long heroic tale
- 16. Taxing
- 18. Far from creaky
- 19. Forelimb bones
- 20. Clockmaker Thomas
- 21. Native Canadian
- 22. Debaucher
- 24. Like best friends
- 26. Far from obvious
- 29. Roe sources
- 30. Composer's work
- 31. Way off base?
- 34. Put forth
- 37. In favor of
- 38. In the mood, so to speak
- 40. Short sentence for a long time?
- 41. Where to find 10A
- 43. Atoll protector
- 44. Acknowledge
- 45. A-list
- 47. Homonym for some Baltimore birds
- 49. Martin of "Mission: Impossible"
- 51. More ignoble
- 53. Otherwise
- 54. Cut out
- 56. Age
- 60. Christian name?
- 61. Taxing
- 63. Beauties, e.g.
- 64. Acclaim

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- 65. Big laugh
- 66. Chemical suffix
- 67. Times gone by
- 68. Grasps, in a way

## Down

- 1. Ticket info, maybe
- 2. Tolstoy's Karenina
- 3. Barely managed, with "out"
- 4. Wordy song writers?
- 5. A California Santa?
- 6. Airheaded
- 7. Basket material
- 8. Cost of living?
- 9. Octave
- 10. Taxing
- 11. Centers

- 12. Heretofore
- 15. Former Portuguese capital
- 17. Medicine bottle
- 23. Sports squad
- 25. Criticizes
- 26. Spot to veg out
- 27. Part of a Grimm beginning?
- 28. Taxing
- 29. Blackthorn
- 32. Eroded
- 33. Smelting stuff
- 35. Teen fave
- 36. Picks up a pickup, maybe
- 38. Largest of the seven
- 39. Transports for a 50D
- 42. Tribal VIPs

- 44. Private plane facility
- 46. Muffet's seat
- 48. Marsh growth
- 49. Pigeon's perch
- 50. One who might use 39D
- 51. "Uncle Milty"
- 52. Pitcher, of a sort
- 55. Ness is a famous one
- 57. Slender black reed, e.g.
- 58. Extended family
- 59. Half a matched set
- 62. Part of TGIF