Model 500

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Across

- 1 Designer Gucci
- 5 15-Across singer (and rarely-credited female techno pioneer) Grey
- 10 Belleville Three-member Atkins whose synth-funk experiments became emblematic of techno
- 11 Dutch electronic label greatly influenced by Detroit techno
- 12 Forty ___ and a mule
- 14 Girl's name meaning "prosperous in war"
- 15 Early techno group including Kevin Saunderson and 5-Across
- 17 Traffic court letters
- 18 U.S. agency behind the largest electronic surveillance program in world history
- 19 Org. that deals with hydrocarbons
- 22 Clone of the Commodore 64 game Space Taxi
- 24 1987 Rythim is Rythim classic that sat at the intersection of Detroit techno and Chicago house
- 28 "Open your eyes / Clean out your ears / 'Cause the music is fresh / And the beat is clear / I __ sit and set the record straight" ("No UFOs" lyrics)
- 29 City often called the Detroit of Italy
- 31 Typeface inspired by motor sport culture and high speed, used primarily in displays and headings, and which pairs well with the "tekno" typeface
- 33 Education technology company that uses interactive robots

- 34 Steel used to reinforce concrete, whose first industrial use was in 1910 to build the Packard Motor Company in Detroit
- 35 Austin festival begun in 1987, which was among the first to include techno artists in its program, for short

Down

- 1 Steely Dan album sampled on Anthony Shakir's "Arise"
- 2 Makers of a VR immersive headset
- 3 Fix, usually by hand, rarely by machine
- 4 Nonstop
- 5 Machine running Cubase, perhaps
- 6 Acronym in drafting conservative legislation
- 7 The most powerful character in the Xbox game Bayonetta, due to his ability to create weapons from LPs containing the crystallized voices of angels
- 8 UAW, YMO, MPC, et al,
- 9 "Peace!" (or an all-girl K-pop group)
- 13 Monopolize, perhaps
- 16 One channel of a Numark mixer
- 19 First name of the first U.S. citizen to be targeted and killed by a U.S. drone strike, which was ordered by Obama
- 20 Resident Advisor app, which marries big data and electronic music to track the world's best parties (available on iTunes)

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- 21 Sound card used in early computers and synthesizers, which was based on Yamaha's YM3812 sound chip
- 23 Info on the door of a record store
- 25 Series of mainframe computers made by Olivetti
- 26 Smoothing algorithm that filters out noise from the resulting signal, and is used in stock trading

- 27 Automotive lubricants
- 30 "The __ Dance Sound of Detroit"
 (1988 compilation and milestone in the introduction of techno to Europe)
- 32 Mad Mike's activist, politically trenchant collective, known for scratching messages directly onto their vinyl in response to the killing of Malice Green by the Detroit police, for short