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**AGENDA**  
PART ONE

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Billionaire playboy and genius industrialist Tony Stark was kidnapped during a routine weapons test. His captors attempted to force him to build a weapon of mass destruction. Instead he created a powered suit of armor that saved his life. From that day on, he used the suit to protect the world as the invincible Avenger Iron Man.

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## **THE ULTRON AGENDA**

### **PART ONE: MAN & MACHINE**

Tony is still struggling with the belief that he's merely a simulation of the true Tony Stark, a burden only made heavier by the loss of Jocasta, who quit Stark Unlimited and turned to Arno Stark for his help in upgrading her humanity.

Tony's uncertainty about his own nature got him in hot water with both humans and androids during a court case over the eEscape disaster, but he quickly ran into a bigger problem. He was attacked by a strange Vision-Wonder Man hybrid, and during the chaotic fight, a mind-controlled Jarvis abducted Janet Van Dyne and took her to Avengers Mansion. There she was greeted by another unfriendly hybrid...Hank Pym and Ultron!

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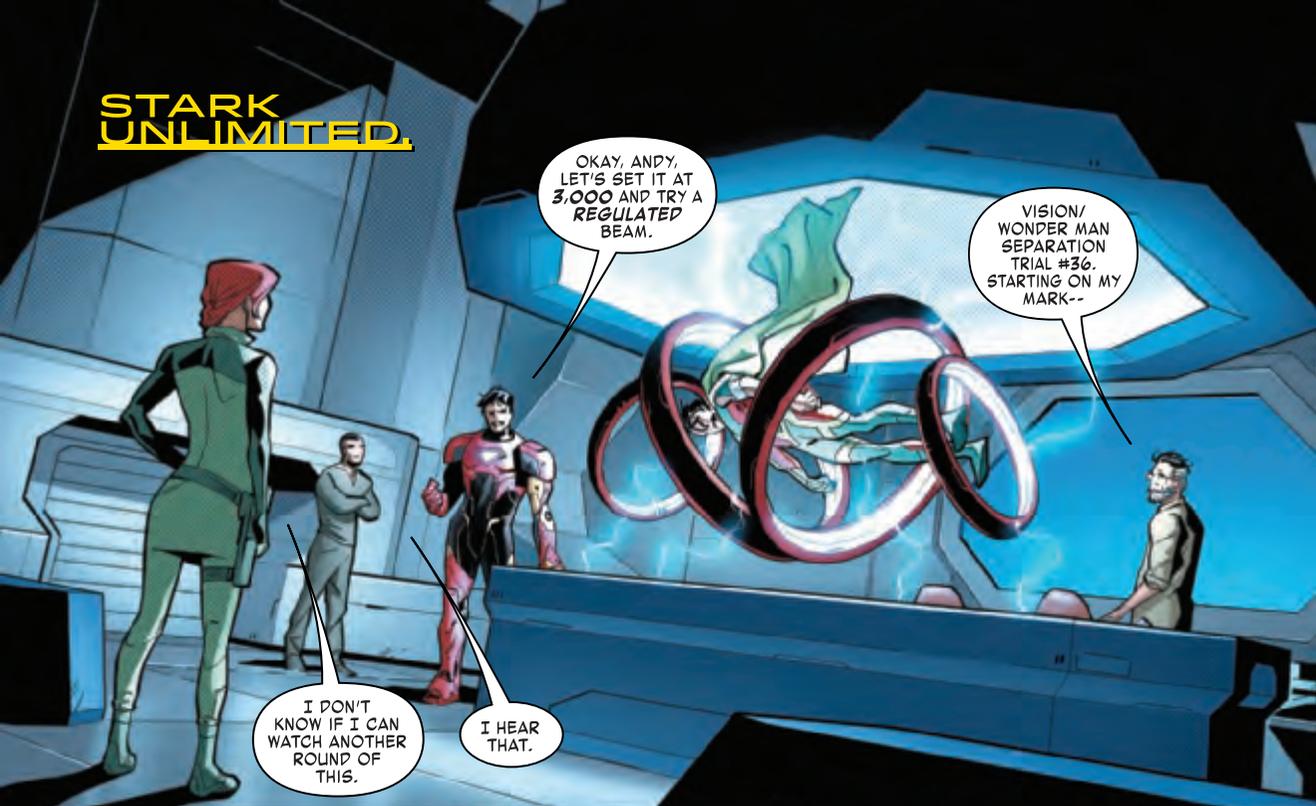
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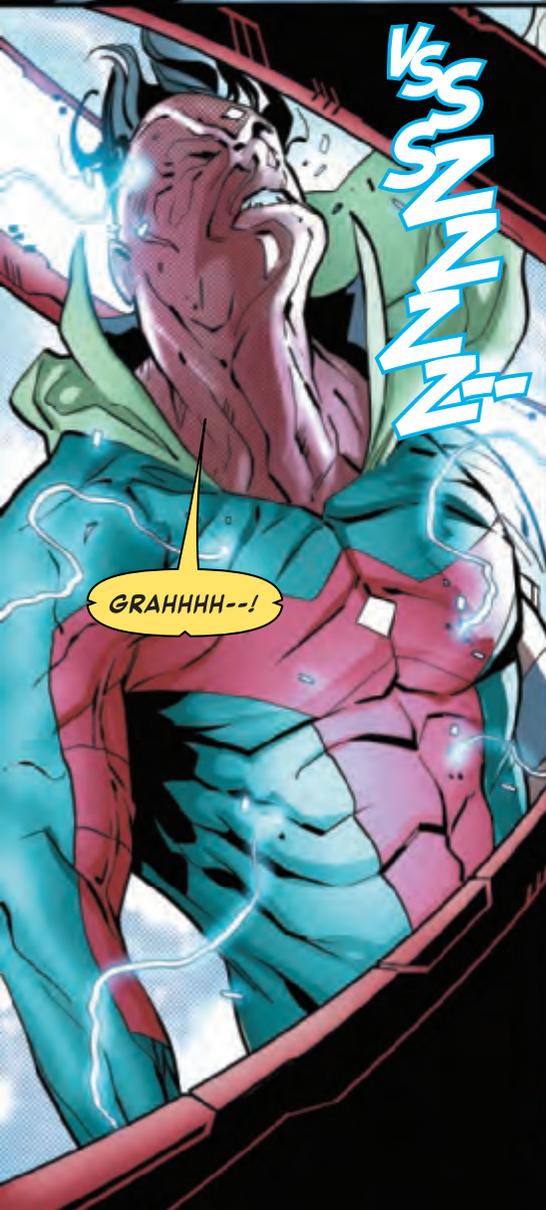


OKAY, ANDY, LET'S SET IT AT 3,000 AND TRY A REGULATED BEAM.

VISION/  
WONDER MAN  
SEPARATION  
TRIAL #36.  
STARTING ON MY  
MARK--

I DON'T  
KNOW IF I CAN  
WATCH ANOTHER  
ROUND OF  
THIS.

I HEAR  
THAT.



VSSZZZZZ--

GRAHHHH--!



ANY MORE THAN THAT  
AND THEY'LL END UP AS  
DISPERSED MOLECULES,  
TONY.

IT'S LIKE  
TRYING TO PULL THE  
EGGS AND SUGAR  
OUT OF AN ALREADY  
BAKED CAKE.

FAR AS I  
CAN TELL, THIS  
FUSION IS  
PERMANENT.

DAMN  
IT.



...AN ARTIFICIAL  
INTELLIGENCE  
PERFECTLY MIXED WITH  
A MAN BACK FROM  
THE DEAD...

I...I CAN  
SEE WHY YOU'RE  
TAKING YOUR  
ANGER OUT ON  
ME, TONY...

IT'S LIKE  
LOOKING INTO  
A MIRROR,  
ISN'T IT?



NICE TRY, BUT WE'RE NOTHING ALIKE. I'M A SELF-MADE MAN...

I SHOULDN'T BE SURPRISED THAT YOU'D CONDONE TORTURE, STARK.

SIMON. VISION. I'M TRYING TO SAVE YOU.

...AND YOU ARE A SICK FUSION OF TWO FRIENDS TURNED INTO A ROBO-SLAVE-ERRAND-BOY.

BUT YOU HELPED KIDNAP JANET...

ZEEEEE



...AND TO STOP YOU, I FRIED MY OPERATING SYSTEM, A LOT OF INNOCENT SELF-AWARE ROBOTS AND MY OWN BRAIN.

SO YEAH, I'M OKAY WITH THE FACT THAT THIS HURTS LIKE HELL!

GRAHHH--!

VSSZZZZ

NOW YOU TELL ME--WHO'S BEHIND THIS?! WHAT HAVE THEY DONE TO JANET VAN DYNE?! WHERE IS SHE?!



NO CHANGE, TONY.

THIS PROCESS, WHATEVER IT IS, HAS BONDED THE TWO OF THEM TOGETHER IN A WAY WE CAN'T COMPENSATE FOR.

SIMON AND VISION'S BRAIN ENGRAMS ARE NEARLY IDENTICAL. IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO TELL WHERE ONE STOPS AND THE OTHER BEGINS.



THAT'S IT, ANDY!  
IT'S THE ENGRAMS!

WONDER-VISION HERE WAS HUNTING JANET, BUT, JUST LIKE SIMON WILLIAMS, THERE'S AN ARTIFICIAL BEING WHO SHARES HER ENGRAMS...



JOCASTA!  
THAT'S NOT A COINCIDENCE, THAT'S BY DESIGN. AND THAT MEANS...

...ULTRON! HE'S BEHIND THIS! HE HAS TO BE!

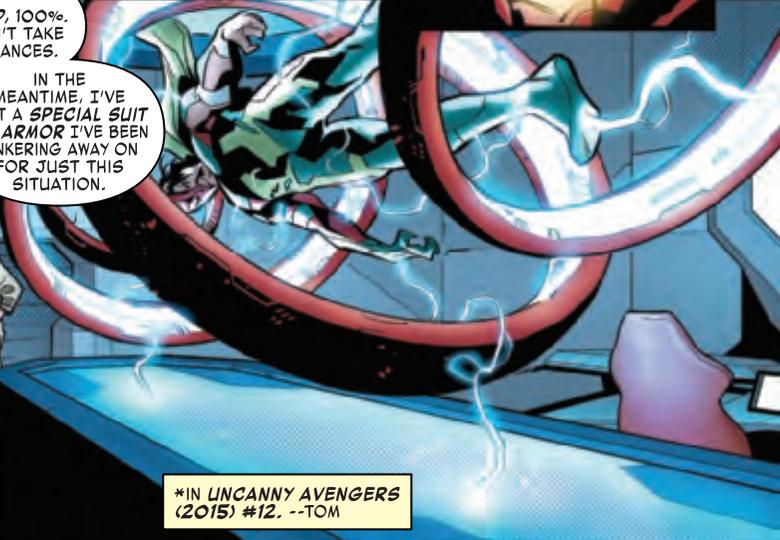


DON'T KNOW HOW HE SURVIVED BEING SHOT INTO THE SUN,\* BUT SOMEHOW HE'S BACK, AND I'VE GOT TO STOP HIM.

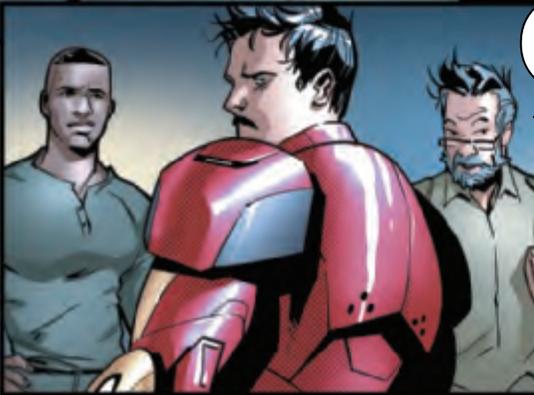
TONY, I KNOW THIS IS PERSONAL, BUT YOU CAN'T TAKE ON ULTRON BY YOURSELF. CALL THE AVENGERS. BRING EVERYBODY.

AGREED, 100%. WE CAN'T TAKE ANY CHANCES.

IN THE MEANTIME, I'VE GOT A SPECIAL SUIT OF ARMOR I'VE BEEN TINKERING AWAY ON FOR JUST THIS SITUATION.



\*IN UNCANNY AVENGERS (2015) #12. --TOM



DO WE HAVE ANY WAY OF REACHING JOCASTA? WE NEED TO WARN HER SHE'S IN DANGER.

SHE'S NOT TAKING ANY CALLS FROM STARK UNLIMITED PERSONNEL, BUT AARON STACK WOULD KNOW WHERE SHE IS...

...AND I KNOW WHERE TO FIND HIM AT THIS TIME OF DAY...



