



# Double Take

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Director Johan Grimonprez casts Alfred Hitchcock as a paranoid history professor, unwittingly caught up in a double take on the cold war period. The master says all the wrong things at all the wrong times, while politicians on both sides desperately clammer to say the right things, live on TV. Double Take targets the global political rise of 'fear as a commodity', in a tale of odd couples and double deals. As television hijacks cinema and the Khrushchev and Nixon debate rattles on, sexual politics quietly take off and Alfred himself emerges in a dandy new role on TV, blackmailing housewives with brands they can't refuse. The novelist Tom McCarthy writes a plot of personal paranoia to mirror the political intrigue, in which Hitchcock and his elusive double increasingly obsess over the perfect murder - of each other!

## CREDITS

**DIRECTOR:** Johan Grimonprez

**PRODUCER:** Emmy Oost

**WRITER:** Johan Grimonprez

**CAST:** Ron Burrage

**EDITING:** Tyler Hubby, Dieter Diependaele

## TECHNICAL SPECS

**RUNNING TIME:** 80'

**ASPECT RATIO:** 16:9

**SOUND FORMAT:** 5.1 (+sub)

**RELEASE FORMAT:** Digital Betacam

**COLOUR:** Colour



## CREATION DETAILS

**TYPE:** Film

**PRODUCTION SHARE:** Majority Flemish Production

**YEAR OF PRODUCTION:** 2009

**PRODUCTION STATUS:** Completed

**ORIGINAL TITLE:** Double Take

**ORIGINAL LANGUAGE:** English

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