

# 'Ground Control to Major Tom' David Bowie (1969)

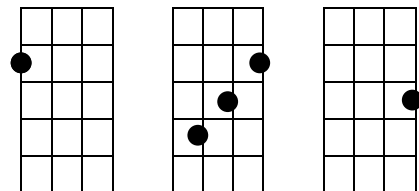
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(Space Oddity) Play along to <https://youtu.be/iYYRH4apXDo?feature=shared>

Intro: **Am/ / / / | Em/ / / /**

**C** **Em**  
Ground Control to Major Tom

**Am** **Em** **C**

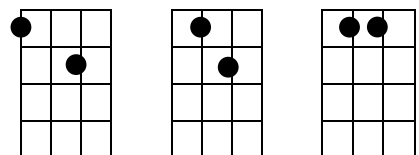


**C** **Em**  
Ground Control to Major Tom

**C** **Am** **Dsus4** **Dadd11**  
Take your protein pills and put your helmet on

**C** **Em**  
(Ten) (Nine) (Eight, Seven,)  
Ground Control to Major Tom

**Am7** **Dsus4** **Dadd11**

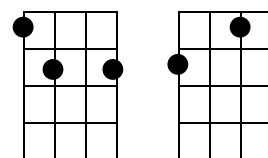


**C** **Em**  
(Six) (Five) (Four, Three)  
Commencing countdown, Engines on

**Am** **Am7** **Dsus4** **Dadd11/ / / / | / / / /**  
(Two) (One) (Lift-off)  
Check ig-ni-tion And may God's love be with you

**C** **E7**  
This is ground control to Major Tom:

**E7** **F**



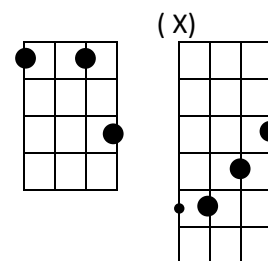
**F**  
You've really made the grade

**Fm** **C** **F**  
And the papers want to know whose shirts you wear,

USE EITHER

**Fm<sup>1</sup>** **Fm<sup>2</sup>**

**Fm** **C** **F**  
Now it's time to guide the capsule if you dare.



**C** **E7**  
This is Major Tom to Ground Con-trol

**F**  
I'm stepping through the door

**Fm** **C** **F**  
And I'm floating in a most peculiar way

**Fm** **C** **F**  
And the stars look very different to-day

**Am** **Em**  
For here am I sitting in a tin can

**F** **Em**  
Far above the world

**Bb** **Am**  
Planet Earth is blue

**G** **F**  
And there's nothing I can do

**C FG AA | C FG AA |**

**C** **E7**  
Though I'm past one hundred thousand miles

**F**  
I'm feeling very still

**Fm** **C** **F**  
And I think my spaceship knows which way to go

**Fm** **C** **F**  
Tell my wife I love her very much She knows

**G** **E7**  
Ground Control to Major Tom

**Am** **Am7**  
Your circuit's dead, there's something wrong

**Dadd11** **C6**  
Can you hear me, Major Tom? Can you hear me, Major Tom?

**G**  
Can you hear me, Major Tom?

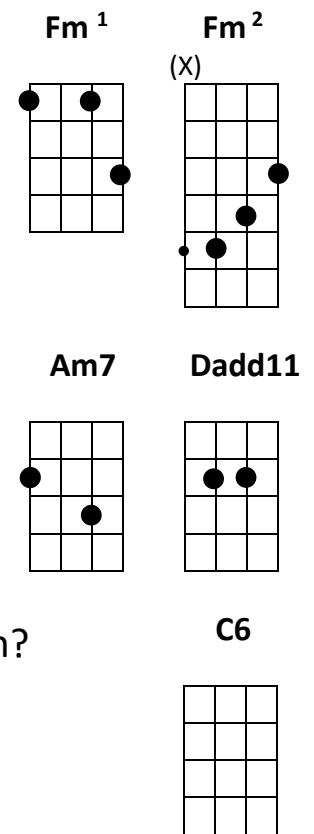
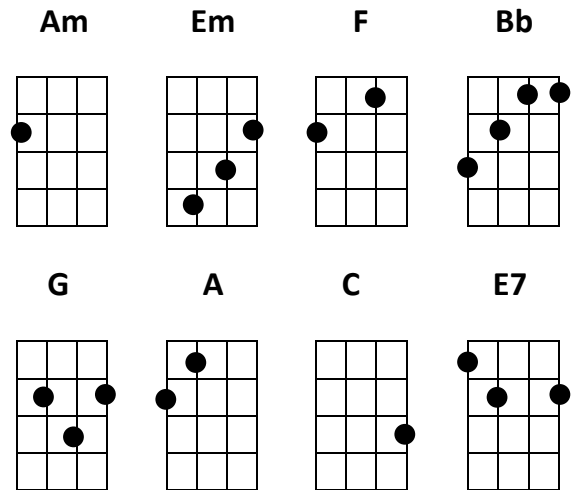
**Am** **Em**  
Can you he—

Here am I floating 'round my tin can

**F** **Em**  
Far above the Moon

**Bb** **Am**  
Planet Earth is blue

**G** **F**  
And there's nothing I can do



[ **PLAYOUT:**  
**C FG AA | C FG AA | C** ]