

# POWER CHORDS

## The Joy of Jamming Beginner 1 - Lesson 16

Fretting Hand - Power Chords  
Strumming Hand - A and Low E String, Downstroke

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Musical notation for exercise 1, showing a power chord progression in 4/4 time. The first staff is a treble clef with a 4/4 time signature. The second staff is a guitar TAB with a 4/4 time signature. The first measure shows a power chord with notes G2 and B2 (TAB: 7 0). The second measure shows a power chord with notes A2 and C3 (TAB: 8 0).

2

Musical notation for exercise 2, showing a power chord progression in 4/4 time. The first staff is a treble clef with a 4/4 time signature. The second staff is a guitar TAB with a 4/4 time signature. The first measure shows a power chord with notes G2 and B2 (TAB: 7 0). The second measure shows a power chord with notes A2 and C3 (TAB: 9 0). The third measure shows a power chord with notes B2 and D3 (TAB: 11 0). The fourth measure shows a power chord with notes C3 and E3 (TAB: 9 0).

3

Musical notation for exercise 3, showing a power chord progression in 4/4 time. The first staff is a treble clef with a 4/4 time signature. The second staff is a guitar TAB with a 4/4 time signature. The first measure shows a power chord with notes G2 and B2 (TAB: 11 9) and is labeled C#. The second measure shows a power chord with notes A2 and C3 (TAB: 11 9) and is labeled C#.

4

B B

T  
A  
B

9 7 9 7 9 7 9 7

5

B A

T  
A  
B

9 7 7 5

6

C A

T  
A  
B

10 8 7 5

7

G A

T  
A  
B

5 3 7 5

8

G A B A

T  
A  
B

5 5 5 5 | 7 7 7 7 | 9 9 9 9 | 7 7 7 7

3 3 3 3 | 5 5 5 5 | 7 7 7 7 | 5 5 5 5

9

G A B C

T  
A  
B

5 5 5 5 | 7 7 7 7 | 9 9 9 9 | 10 10 10 10

3 3 3 3 | 5 5 5 5 | 7 7 7 7 | 8 8 8 8

10

A B C B

T  
A  
B

7 7 7 7 | 9 9 9 9 | 10 10 10 10 | 9 9 9 9

5 5 5 5 | 7 7 7 7 | 8 8 8 8 | 7 7 7 7

11

C G

T  
A  
B

10 10 10 10 | 5 5 5 5

8 8 8 8 | 3 3 3 3

12

C F

TAB: 10 8 10 8 | 3 1 3 1 3 1 3 1

13

C F G

TAB: 10 8 | 3 1 5 3

14

E G A

TAB: 2 0 | 5 3 7 5

15

Am G F G

TAB: 7 5 | 5 3 3 1 5 3

16

39 C D

TAB: 10 8 | 12 10

17

G C D

TAB: 5 3 | 10 8 | 12 10

18

D G A G

TAB: 12 10 | 5 3 | 7 5 | 5 3

19

C Am F G

TAB: 10 8 | 7 5 | 3 1 | 5 3

20

C Am F G

TAB: 10 8 | 7 5 | 3 1 | 5 3

21

D C G

TAB: 12 10 | 10 8 | 5 3

22

E D C

TAB: 14 12 | 12 10 | 10 8

23

F B $\flat$  A $\flat$  D $\flat$

TAB: 3 1 | 8 6 | 6 4 | 11 9

JAM! - Bells.

**F**

4

T  
A  
B

3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3 3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3 3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3 3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3  
1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1 1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1 1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1 1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1

**C**

4

T  
A  
B

10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10 10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10 10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10 10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10  
8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8 8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8 8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8 8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8