

# Diminished chords guitar voicings and extensions

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Standard tuning  
♩ = 120

Example 1

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Am7      A♭dim      Gm7      C7      Fmaj7

Example 2

Example 3

Am7      A♭dim      Gm7      C7      Fmaj7

Example 4

Exempl 5

Am7                      A♭dim                      Gm7                      C7                      Fmaj7

Musical notation for Example 5, measures 14-16. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 6/8 time signature. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes. A triplet of eighth notes is marked in measure 15. The guitar tablature below shows fingerings for the treble (T), middle (A), and bass (B) strings.

T	5	5	3	5	3	5	3	6	3	2	3	3	3	1
A	5	5	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2
B	5	5	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2

Example 6

A♭dim7                      A♭dim                      A♭dim                      A♭dim

Musical notation for Example 6, measures 17-20. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 6/8 time signature. The melody consists of quarter notes. The guitar tablature below shows fingerings for the treble (T), middle (A), and bass (B) strings.

T	3	5	12	12	15	17	10	12
A	4	4	10	10	13	13	9	9
B	3	3	12	14	15	15	10	10
	4	4	11	9	14	14	9	9

Musical notation for Example 6, measures 21-23. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 6/8 time signature. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes. The guitar tablature below shows fingerings for the treble (T), middle (A), and bass (B) strings.

T														
A														
B	3	4	7	3	5	7	3	5	6	4	5	7	5	6

Example 7

A♭dim

Musical notation for Example 7, measures 24-27. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 6/8 time signature. The melody consists of quarter notes. The guitar tablature below shows fingerings for the treble (T), middle (A), and bass (B) strings.

T								
A								
B	4	7	5	8	8	7	5	

Example 8

A♭dim

Musical notation for Example 8, measures 28-31. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 6/8 time signature. The melody consists of quarter notes. The guitar tablature below shows fingerings for the treble (T), middle (A), and bass (B) strings.

T	3	3	12	12	7	7	
A	4	4	10	10	6	8	
B	3	5	12	12	7	7	
	4	4	11	9	6	6	

Example 10

Am7                      A♭dim                      Gm7                      C7                      Fmaj7

Musical notation for Example 10, measures 32-35. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 6/8 time signature. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes. A triplet of eighth notes is marked in measure 33. The guitar tablature below shows fingerings for the treble (T), middle (A), and bass (B) strings.

T														
A														
B	5	3	5	3	3	6	3	3	2	3	2	1	2	2
	5	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	2	2

Example 9

Am7                      Abdim                      Gm7                      C7                      Fmaj7

36                      37                      38

8                      10                      7                      12                      10                      9                      8                      11                      8

8                      8                      7                      9                      10                      8                      8                      8                      8

7                      6                      7                      10                      10                      8                      8                      11                      9

7                      6                      9                      9                      8                      8                      8                      7