

Optimistic
Radiohead

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This is how I play it. I got the chorus from Andrew Prefontaine s Tab i just put in the opening riffs. You have to listen to the album to get the rythm and timing right.

(drop D tuning)

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E-----
B-----
G-----
D----7-7-9-9-4-4-3-5-4          RIFF 1 (2X)
A----0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0
D----0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0

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E-----
B-----
G-----
D----3-5-4
A----0-0-0
D----0-0-0

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E-----
B-----
G-----
D----12-12-10-10--14-14-12-12    RIFF 2 (played throughout)
A----0--0--0--0--0--0--0--0-
D----0--0--0--0--0--0--0--0-

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E-----
B-----
G--5-5--3-3--7-7--5-5-
D--x-x--x-x--x-x--x-x-          RIFF 2 (alternate)
A--5-5--3-3--7-7--5-5-
D--0-0--0-0--0-0--0-0-

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CHORUS:

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      F      Dsus4      D      F      AM (?)  D
E-----
B--10-10--8-8--8-8----7-7--6-6----5-5-----
G--10-10--7-7--7-7----7-7--5-5----5-5-----7
D--10-10--7-7--7-7----7-7--7-7----7-7-----7
A--0--0--0-0--0-0--0-0--0-0--0-0--0-0-----0

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D--0--0---0-0--0-0----0-0--0-0----0-0-----0

>>Outra Versão

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Tabbed by Andrew Prefontaine

Here s how the song is supposed to go. The previous tabs of it were pretty close but not quite on the mark.

I won t post lyrics with this tab because there seems to be a big stink about it if you do.

It s pretty simple, and believe it or not repetitive Use your own beat style. I only wrote it like this so it would be easy to understand the dsus4 d dsus4 d part.

standard tuning

Verse:

D	F?	Dsus4	D
--5---5--5-5---5-5--5--5---5---5--5-5--5--5--5-5-5--			
--7---7--7-7---6-6--6--6---8---8--8-8--7--7--7-7-7--			
--7---7--7-7---5-5--5--5---7---7--7-7--7--7--7-7-7--			
--7---7--7-7---7-7--7--7---7---7--7-7--7--7--7-7-7--			
--5---5--5-5---8-8--8--8---5---5--5-5--5--5--5-5-5--			
-----5-5--5--5---5-----			

F?	C	Dsus4 D	Dsus4 D
-5---5--5-5---3--3--3--3---5--5--5-5---5-5-5----			
-6---6--6-6---5--5--5--5---8--7--7-7---8-7-7----			
-5---5--5-5---5--5--5--5---7--7--7-7---7-7-7----			
-7---7--7-7---5--5--5--5---7--7--7-7---7-7-7----			
-8---8--8-8---3--3--3--3---5--5--5-5---5-5-5----			
-5---5--5-5-----			

Chorus:

D	F?	G	D
--5---5--5-5---5-5-5--5-5---10--10--10-10---10--10--10-10-10---			
--7---7--7-7---6-6-6--6-6---12--12--12-12---10--10--10-10-10---			
--7---7--7-7---5-5-5--5-5---12--12--12-12---11--11--11-11-11---			
--7---7--7-7---7-7-7--7-7---12--12--12-12---12--12--12-12-12---			
--5---5--5-5---8-8-8--8-8---10--10--10-10---12--12--12-12-12---			
-----5-5-5--5-5-----10--10--10-10-10---			

F	C	Dsus4 D	Dsus4 D
-8--8--8-8---8---8--8--8--8--8-----5--5--5-5---5-5-5----			

-10-10-10-10--10---8--8--8--8--8-----8--7--7-7---8-7-7-----
-10-10-10-10--10---9--9--9--9--9-----7--7--7-7---7-7-7-----
-10-10-10-10--10---10-10-10-10-10-----7--7--7-7---7-7-7-----
-8--8--8--8---8---10-10-10-10-10---5--5--5-5---5-5-5-----
-----8--8--8--8--8-----

And that s it. Repeat as necessary.