

MY HUMAN GETS ME BLUES (Bassline)

As recorded by Captain Beefheart & His Magic Band

(From the 1969 Album TROUT MASK REPLICA)

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A

$\text{♩} = 100$

1 | Bass: 3/4 | Gtr I: 2nd string (F#), 3rd string (D), 4th string (C), 5th string (A), 6th string (G) |
T A B | 2 1 2 1 |
2 | Bass: 4/4 | Gtr I: 2nd string (F#), 3rd string (D), 4th string (C), 5th string (A), 6th string (G) |
T A B | 3 6 6 9 | 3 6 6 9 | 24x |
3 | Bass: 4/4 | Gtr I: 2nd string (F#), 3rd string (D), 4th string (C), 5th string (A), 6th string (G) |
T A B | 6 6 9 | 6 6 9 | 6 6 9 | 7 7 |
3 | Bass: 4/4 | Gtr I: 2nd string (F#), 3rd string (D), 4th string (C), 5th string (A), 6th string (G) |
T A B | 6 6 9 | 6 6 9 | 6 6 9 | 7 7 |

B

5 | Bass: 28/8 | Gtr I: 2nd string (F#), 3rd string (D), 4th string (C), 5th string (A), 6th string (G) |
T A B | 8 8 8 8 6 8 9 8 8 9 8 6 6 6 6 4 4 6 6 6 | 1. |
sl. |

C

7 | Bass: 4/4 | Gtr I: 2nd string (F#), 3rd string (D), 4th string (C), 5th string (A), 6th string (G) |
T A B | 7 7 7 7 12 13 12 | 4x | 4 | 2 - |
13 | Bass: 4/4 | Gtr I: 2nd string (F#), 3rd string (D), 4th string (C), 5th string (A), 6th string (G) |
T A B | 14 14 14 14 12 13 12 7 7 9 9 12 13 12 7 7 7 7 12 13 12 | 6x |

D

2.

Beefheart Music (BMI)
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E

Bass tab for measure 16. The bass line consists of eighth-note pairs. The tab shows two pairs of notes on the first string (D), followed by a rest, then two pairs on the second string (G), another rest, and finally two pairs on the third string (B). The tab is labeled "4x" at the end.

T A B
5 5 3 3 | 5 3 | 5 5 3 3 | 5 3 | .

F

Bass tab for measure 20. The bass line features eighth-note pairs with slurs and grace notes. The tab shows pairs on the first string (D), followed by a rest, then pairs on the second string (G), another rest, and finally pairs on the third string (B). The tab is labeled "12x" at the end.

T A B
8 6 6 8 6 6 | 8 | 6 8 6 6 8 6 | .