

The Imperial March (Darth Vader's Theme)

First system of musical notation for 'The Imperial March'. It consists of a treble clef staff with a common time signature (C) and a bass clef staff with a double bar line. The treble staff contains a melody of eighth and quarter notes. The bass staff contains a bass line with various chords and notes. Below the bass staff are three rows of fret numbers for guitar.

0	0	0	3	0	3	0	7	7	7	8	3	0		
0	0	0	1	0	1	0	5	5	5	8	8	1	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	5	8	8	0	0	0
			1			1							1	

Second system of musical notation for 'The Imperial March'. It continues the melody and bass line from the first system. The fret numbers in the bass staff are more complex, including some double fretting (e.g., 12 0 0 12).

12	0	0	12	11	10	9	8	9	6	5	4	3	2	3	3	0	7	
12			12					11	6	6				4	1	1	1	1
12			12					10	6	6				5	0	0		
															1	1		
															2		5	5

Third system of musical notation for 'The Imperial March'. This system is identical to the second system, showing the continuation of the melody and bass line with corresponding fret numbers.

12	0	0	12	11	10	9	8	9	6	5	4	3	2	3	3	0	3	0
12			12					11	6	6				4	1	1	1	1
12			12					10	6	6				5	0	0		
															1	1		
																	1	

Fourth system of musical notation for 'The Imperial March'. This system is identical to the first system, showing the beginning of the melody and bass line with corresponding fret numbers.

0	0	0	3	0	3	0	7	7	7	8	3	0		
0	0	0	1	0	1	0	5	5	5	8	8	1	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	5	8	8	0	0	0
			1			1							1	

12 0 0 12 11 10 | 9 8 9 6 5 4 | 3 2 3 1 1 1 3 | 0 3 0

12 12 12 | 11 6 6 5 4 | 4 1 1 1 3 | 0 1 0

12 12 | 10 6 6 | 5 1 1 1 3 | 0 0 0

1 1 1

0 1 3 2 | 7 6 2 5 3 | 0 1 3 2 | 12 12 11 10

2 1 1 2 1 | 12 10 10

0 0 0 3 | 0 3 0 | 7 7 7 8 | 1 1 3 0

0 0 0 1 | 0 1 0 | 5 5 5 8 8 | 0 0 0

0 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 5 5 5 8 8 | 1 1 1

1 1 1

12 0 0 12 11 10 | 9 8 9 6 5 4 | 3 2 3 1 1 1 3 | 0 3 0

12 12 12 | 11 6 6 5 4 | 4 1 1 1 3 | 0 1 0

12 12 | 10 6 6 | 5 1 1 1 3 | 0 0 0

1 1 1