

Helicopter

Bloc Party
Silent Alarm

Words & Music by Bloc Party

Standard tuning

Moderately Fast ♩ = 180

E-Gt

Measures 1-3 of the guitar part. The music is in E major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. Measure 1 starts with a forte (f) dynamic. The melody consists of eighth notes: E4, G4, A4, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4. The bass line consists of quarter notes: G2, B1, D2, E2. The guitar tab below shows the fretting for each measure.

T	7-7-5-5-4-4	0-0-4-4-11-11-9-9	7-7-5-5-4-4
A			
B	7-7		7-7

Measures 4-6 of the guitar part. The melody continues with eighth notes: E4, G4, A4, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4. The bass line continues with quarter notes: G2, B1, D2, E2. The guitar tab below shows the fretting for each measure.

T	0-0-4-4-11-11-9-9	7-7-5-5-4-4	0-0-4-4-11-11-9-9
A			
B		7-7	

Measures 7-9 of the guitar part. The melody continues with eighth notes: E4, G4, A4, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4. The bass line continues with quarter notes: G2, B1, D2, E2. The guitar tab below shows the fretting for each measure.

T	7-7-5-5-4-4	0-0-4-4-11-11-9-9	7-7-5-5-4-4
A			
B	7-7		7-7

Measures 10-12 of the guitar part. The melody continues with eighth notes: E4, G4, A4, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4. The bass line continues with quarter notes: G2, B1, D2, E2. The guitar tab below shows the fretting for each measure.

T	0-0-4-4-11-11-9-9	7-7-5-5-4-4	0-0-4-4-11-11-9-9
A			
B		7-7	

Measures 13-15 of the guitar part. The melody continues with eighth notes: E4, G4, A4, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4. The bass line continues with quarter notes: G2, B1, D2, E2. The guitar tab below shows the fretting for each measure.

T	7-7-5-5-4-4	0-0-4-4-11-11-9-9	7-7-5-5-4-4
A			
B	7-7		7-7

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TAB

3	3	3		2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
4	4	4		4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

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TAB

7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

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TAB

3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

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TAB

2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

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f

TAB

7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

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TAB

8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

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TAB

10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10	8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8	
9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	
7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5	5-5-4-4 5-5-4-4

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TAB

12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12	10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10	8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8
11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7
9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5

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TAB

	12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12	10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10
	11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9
5-5-4-4-7-7-2-2	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7

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TAB

8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8		
7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	5-5-4-4-7-7-2-2	7-7-5-5-4-4
5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5		7-7

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TAB

0-0 4-4 11-11-9-9	7-7-5-5-4-4	0-0 4-4 11-11-9-9
	7-7	

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TAB

7-7-5-5-4-4	0-0 4-4 11-11-9-9	7-7-5-5-4-4
7-7		7-7

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T								
A	0	0	4	4	11	11	9	9
B					4	4	4	4
					2	2	2	2
					4	4	4	4
					2	2	2	2
					4	4	4	4
					2	2	2	2
					7	7	7	7
					5	5	5	5
					9	9	9	9
					7	7	7	7

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T							
A	9	9	9	4	4	4	4
B	7	7	7	2	2	2	2
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				7	7	7	7
				5	5	5	5
				9	9	9	9
				7	7	7	7

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T							
A	9	9	9	4	4	4	4
B	7	7	7	2	2	2	2
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				7	7	7	7
				5	5	5	5
				9	9	9	9
				7	7	7	7

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T							
A	9	9	9	4	4	4	4
B	7	7	7	2	2	2	2
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				7	7	7	7
				5	5	5	5
				9	9	9	9
				7	7	7	7

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p

T							
A	9	9	9	2	2	2	2
B	7	7	7	3	3	3	3
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				3	3	3	3
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				3	3	3	3
				4	4	4	4
				2	2	2	2
				3	3	3	3
				4	4	4	4

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TAB

3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	

95

TAB

7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

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TAB

3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

101

TAB

2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

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f

TAB

7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

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TAB

8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

110

TAB

10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10	8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8	
9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	
7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5	5-5-4-4 5-5-4-4

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TAB

12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12	10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10	8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8
11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7
9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5

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TAB

	12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12	10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10
	11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9
5-5-4-4-7-7-2-2	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7

119

These notes aren't actually palm muted

TAB

8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8		P.M.-----1
7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7		7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7
5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5	5-5-4-4-7-7-2-2	

122

they are muted notes that are tremolo picked

TAB

		P.M.-----1
10-10-10-10-7-7-7-7	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	10-10-10-10-7-7-7-7

125

TAB

		P.M.-----1
7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	10-10-10-10-7-7-7-7	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7

128

P.M.

T
A
B

131

P.M.

T
A
B

134

P.M.

T
A
B

137

T
A
B

140

T
A
B

143

T
A
B

146

T	10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10	8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8	
A	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	
B	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5	5-5-4-4-7-7-2-2

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T	12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12	10-10-10-10-10-10-10-10	8-8-8-8-8-8-8-8
A	11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7
B	9-9-9-9-9-9-9-9	7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7	5-5-5-5-5-5-5-5

152

T					
A	5-5-4-4-7-7-2-2				
B					

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T	
A	
B	