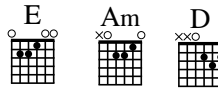


# Essential Guitar Techniques #2: basic strumming

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Here are the three chords I played in the video.

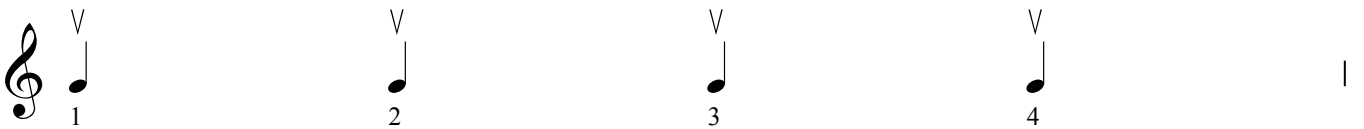


On the down strum, play six strings for E, five for Am and four for D. On the up strum, play 3 string on each chord. Try the exercises below for each chord, making sure to strum the correct number of strings.

Ex.1) Strum down on each chord, one strum per beat.



Ex.2) Strum up on each chord, one strum per beat.



Ex.3) Strum down & up on each chord, two strums per beat.



Ex.4) Strum down on each chord, two strums per beat.

