

TAKIN' CARE OF BUSINESS

As recorded by Bachman Turner Overdrive
(From the 1973 Album BACHMAN TURNER OVERDRIVE II)

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A Intro

Moderate Rock ♩ = 126

C B^b F C

1 Gtr II

T
A
B

8 10 12 10 10 10 8 8 10 8 10 12 10 10 12 10 12 10 10 x 10

8 8 8 8 8 6 6 x 6 6 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 (0) 8 8 8 x 8

B^b F C

6 Gtrs I, II

T
A
B

10 x 12 10 10 x 8 8 10 8 8 x 8 10 10 12 10 10 12 10 10 12 10 10 x 8 10

8 x 8 (x) 8 8 x 6 6 6 6 6 x 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 (8) 8 8 8 x 8 H 8

B^b F C

10 Gtr I

T
A
B

12 12 12 12 12 11 11 11 11 11 11 8 6 7 8 6 8 10 8 8 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 10 10

sl. H sl. sl.

Gtr II P.M.

T
A
B

10 12 10 10 8 8 8 10 8 8 10 10 12 10 10 12 10 10 12 10

8 8 8 8 6 6 6 6 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8

D Interlude

1.

C B⁷ F C

41

Gtr I

T	10	8	0	12	12	12	12	12	12	8	8	7	8	6	8	8	8	10	5	5	5	5	5	4	0	10
A	10			12	12	12	12	12	12	8									10	4	4	4	4	4	3	10
B		10	10	10						8								8	10	5	5	5	5	5	4	10

H

sl.

Gtr II.M.

T																										
A																										
B	10	12	10	10	x	10	10	x	12	x	10	10	8	8	10	8	8	8	10	12	10	10	12	10	10	12
	8	8	8	8	x	8	8	x	8	x	8	8	x	6	6	6	6	x	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8

B⁷

F

45

1/2

Full

Full

Full

Full

Full

T	8	8	10	8	10	10	10	10	8	10	8	8	8	10	8	8	8	10	10	8	8	8	10	13	12
A									8	10															
B									8	10															

H

H

T																										
A																										
B	10	12	10	10	x	10	10	x	12	x	10	10	8	8	10	8	8	8	10	12	10	10	12	10	10	12
	8	8	8	8	x	8	8	x	8	x	8	8	x	6	6	6	6	x	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8

E Guitar Solo

48

C C

Full Full Full Full *let ring---*

sl. sl. H

P.M. P.M.

T A B

51

B \flat F C

1/2 1/2 1/4 *let ring Full*

P

T A B

54

let ring \uparrow

Full Full Full Full Full Full Full Full Full Full Full

T (15) 15 15 15 15 (15) 15 15 13 13 13 13 13 15 (15) 15 (15) 15 (15) 15 (15) 15

A 15 13 15 13 13 15 13 13 15 13 13 15 (15) 15 (15) 15 (15) 15 (15) 15

B

P.M.

T

A

B 10 8 12 8 10 8 x 10 10 x 12 x 8 10 8 x 8 6 8 10 6 8 8 x 10 10 8 12 8 10 12 8 10

F Interlude
Gtrs. tacet

58

Full

T 15 (15)

A

B

T

A

B 10 8

G Bridge

62

C F E \flat C B \flat F E \flat

Gtrs I, II

T 8 8 10 10 10 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 10 10 10 8 8

A 8 8 10 10 10 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 10 10 10 8 8

B 8 8 10 10 10 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 10 10 10 8 8

sl. sl.

I 3rd Verse

C C B^b

77

sl.

T
A
B

8 10 8 10 12 11 12 13 12 13 12 12 13

T
A
B

10 12 10 10 12 10 10 x 12 x 10 10 12 10 x 10 12 10 10 8 6

F C

80

Full Full Full Full Full

T
A
B

15 15 15 15 15

P.M. P.M. P.M. P.M.

T
A
B

x 6 10 8 8 10 8 10 8 8 8 12 8 8 10 10 12 10 10 8 12 10 10 10 x 10

83

B \flat F C

 T (15) 15 (15)(13) ((13)) 12-14 13 13 (13) (14) 12-14 13 13
 A
 B *sl.* *sl.*

T
 A
 B 10 x 12 10 10 8 8 10 8 8 10 10 12 10 10 12 10 10 8 12 10 10 x 10

87

B \flat F C

~~~~~ w~~~~ 1/2 1/2 1/2  
 T 12 13 11 13 13 13 15 15 15 15 15 13 15 13 13  
 A (13) x x x x 14  
 B 10 x 12 10 10 8 8 10 8 8 10 10 12 10 10 12 10 10 8 12 10 10 x 10



99

B $\flat$  E $\flat$  C

Full

15 15 13 8 8 11 11 8

8 11 8 5 7 (7) 5 7 7 5 5 8

8 5 7 7 5 5 7

P sl. P H

T

A

B

10 12 10 x x 8 8 8 x x 0 6 8 x x 12 10 10 10 10 8 8 8 10 8

sl.

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**K** Breakdown

Gtrs. tacet

Gtr I

T

A

B

10 (10) (10)

sl.

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C B $\flat$

Gtrs I, II

T

A

B

111

F C

1. 2.

T

A

B

