

# Basket Case Chords by Green Day



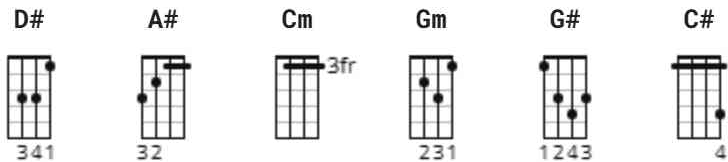
Difficulty: beginner

Tuning: E A D G B E

Capo: 1st fret

Key: Eb

## CHORDS



If you just want to play this on an acoustic with open chords, here they are.

Capo 1st fret, standard tuning

D\* 10 12 12 11 10 10  
A\* 5 7 7 6 5 5  
Bm\* 7 9 9 7 7 7

Chords relative to capo

[Verse 1]

D# A#  
Do you have the time  
Cm Gm  
To listen to me whine  
G# D#  
About nothing and everything  
A#  
All at once

D# A#  
I am one of those  
Cm Gm  
Melodramatic fools  
G# D#  
Neurotic to the bone  
A#  
No doubt about it

[Chorus]

G# A# D#  
Sometimes I give myself the creeps  
G# A# D#  
Sometimes my mind plays tricks on me

**G#** **A#**  
It all keeps adding up  
**D#** **C#** **Cm**  
I think I'm cracking up  
**G#** **A#**  
Am I just paranoid?  
(**D#**)  
Am I just stoned?

[Riff]

**D#\*** **A#\*** **Cm\*** **A#\***  
**D#\*** **A#\*** **Cm\*** **A#\***

[Verse 2]

**D#** **A#**  
I went to a shrink  
**Cm** **Gm**  
To analyze my dreams  
**G#** **D#**  
She says it's lack of sex  
**A#**  
That's bringing me down  
**D#** **A#**  
I went to a whore  
**Cm** **Gm**  
He said my life's a bore  
**G#** **D#**  
So quit my whining cause  
**A#**  
It's bringing her down

[Chorus]

**G#** **A#** **D#**  
Sometimes I give myself the creeps  
**G#** **A#** **D#**  
Sometimes my mind plays tricks on me  
**G#** **A#**  
It all keeps adding up  
**D#** **C#** **Cm**  
I think I'm cracking up  
**G#** **A#**  
Am I just paranoid?  
(**D#**)  
Uh, yuh, yuh, ya

[Riff]

**D#\*** **A#\*** **Cm\*** **A#\***  
**D#\*** **A#\*** **Cm\*** **A#\***

D#\* A#\* Cm\* A#\*  
D#\* A#\* Cm\* A#\*

[Bridge]

G# A#  
Grasping to control  
N.C. D#  
So I better hold on

[Instrumental]

D# A# Cm Gm G# D# A#  
D# A# Cm Gm G# D# A#

[Chorus]

G# A# D#  
Sometimes I give myself the creeps  
G# A# D#  
Sometimes my mind plays tricks on me  
G# A#  
It all keeps adding up  
D# C# Cm  
I think I'm cracking up  
G# A#  
Am I just paranoid?  
(D#)  
Am I just stoned?

[Outro]

D# Cm G# D# A#  
D# Cm G# D# A#  
D# Cm G# D# A#  
D# Cm G# D# A#  
G# D# A#