The Who
Can't Explain

E  x7999x
D  x5777x
A  577655 and x02255 and x022xx
Asus4  xx775x
B  799877 and x2444x
Bsus4  xx997x
C#m  x46654

Note: leads are approximate. Solos transcribed from Live at Leeds reissue version.

[intro and main pattern]

| |:E  D  D |A     E  E  :||
|E  D  D |A     E  E  |

Got a feeling inside (Can't explain)
It's a certain kind (Can't explain)
I feel hot and cold (Can't explain)
Yeah, down in my soul, yeah (Can't explain)

[E  D  D |A     E  E  |
I said... (Can't explain)
I'm feeling good now, yeah, but (Can't explain)

Dizzy in the head and I'm feeling blue
The things you've said, well, maybe they're true
I'm gettin' funny dreams again and again

I know what it means, but...

[chorus]

|E|C#m
Can't explain, I think it's love

[A] Asus4 A |B Bsus4 B
Try to say it to you when I feel blue, but I

[optional riff from 12-string]

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|E  D  D |A     E  E  |
But I can't explain (Can't explain)
Yeah, you hear what I'm saying, girl (Can't explain)

[first solo; from stage versions]

|E  D |A  E  |E  D  |A  E  |
|-----4-2-----|------------|------------|------------|
|-----0------|------------|------------|------------|
|2-/-4-1^---|------------|------------|------------|
|-----------0h|2-2p0--0----0-0h|2-0h2--2p0-0-----|------------|
Dizzy in the head and I'm feeling bad
The things you said have got me real mad
I'm gettin' funny dreams again and again
I know what it means but...

[repeat chorus]

Can't explain
I think it's love
Try to say it to you
When I feel blue

But I can't explain (Can't explain)
Just give me one more time now, yeah (Can't explain)

[second solo; from stage versions]

----16-14------|----------------------|
|E     D       |A         E                    |
-----16-14-----|-------------------------------|
--------15-----|-------------------------------|
14-/16------12h|14-12^-------------------------|
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14-12--12~-----|5-7--5~|
-----14----14-12-10-12-----|5-7------|
-----------------------12\|--|

I said I can't explain, yeah
You drive me outta my mind
Yeah, I'm the worrying kind, babe

I said I can't explain