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Name of the object:		
$RT \text{ And} = BD + 52^{\circ}3383A = HIP 114484$		
Equatorial coordinates:		Equinox:
$R.A.= 23^{h}11^{m}10^{s}11 DEC.= 53^{\circ}01.5$		2000
Observatory and telescope:		
Ege University Observatory, 48-cm Cassegrain telescope		
Detector:	Hamamatsu, R4457 (PMT)	
Filter(s):	B, V and R filters of Johnson system	
Comparison star(s): $BD + 52^{\circ}3383 = HIP 114482$		
Availability of the data:		
Upon request		
Type of variability:	Type of variability: RS CVn	

Remarks:

As part of our ongoing study on short period eclipsing RS CVn system RT And is reported here. The star was observed photoelectrically with the 48-cm Cassegrain telescope from 8 Aug. to 12 Oct. 2000. The comparison and check stars are BD +52°3383 and BD +52°3384, respectively. The phases of the observations were calculated using the following light elements:

HJD Min. I = $2451142.4938 + 0.62892979 \times E$.

Table 1 lists the dates of observations and the phases covered. The derived light curves for B, V, R colours are illustrated in Figure 1.

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Table 1DatePhase08 Aug.0.61-0.6802 Sep.0.98-0.4804 Sep.0.19-0.5806 Sep.0.32-0.7327 Sep.0.94-0.1512 Oct.0.63-0.04

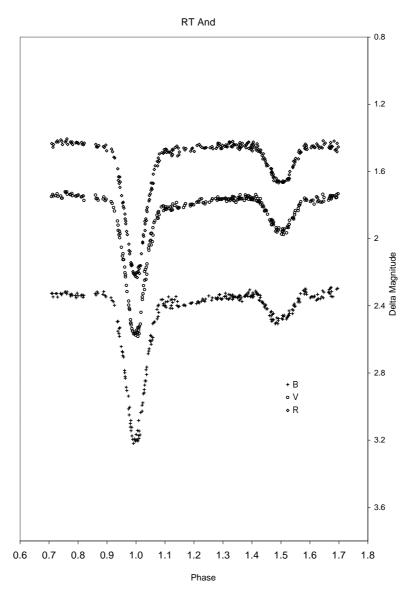


Figure 1. The light curves of RT And