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**GSC 2038\_1730: A NEW VARIABLE STAR**

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**Name of the object:**

GSC 2038\_1730

**Equatorial coordinates:**

R.A. =  $16^{\text{h}}07^{\text{m}}30^{\text{s}}.99$  DEC. =  $+27^{\circ}13'31''$ 2

**Equinox:**

J2000

**Observatory and telescope:**

Beijing Astronomical Observatory, 85-cm Cassegrain telescope

**Detector:**

TH7882 CCD, 576 × 384 pixels

**Filter(s):**

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**Date(s) of the observation(s):**

2000.04.28, 29, 30; 2000.05.06, 07, 10

**Comparison star(s):** GSC 2038\_1381

**Check star(s):** GSC 2038\_1473

**Transformed to a standard system:** No

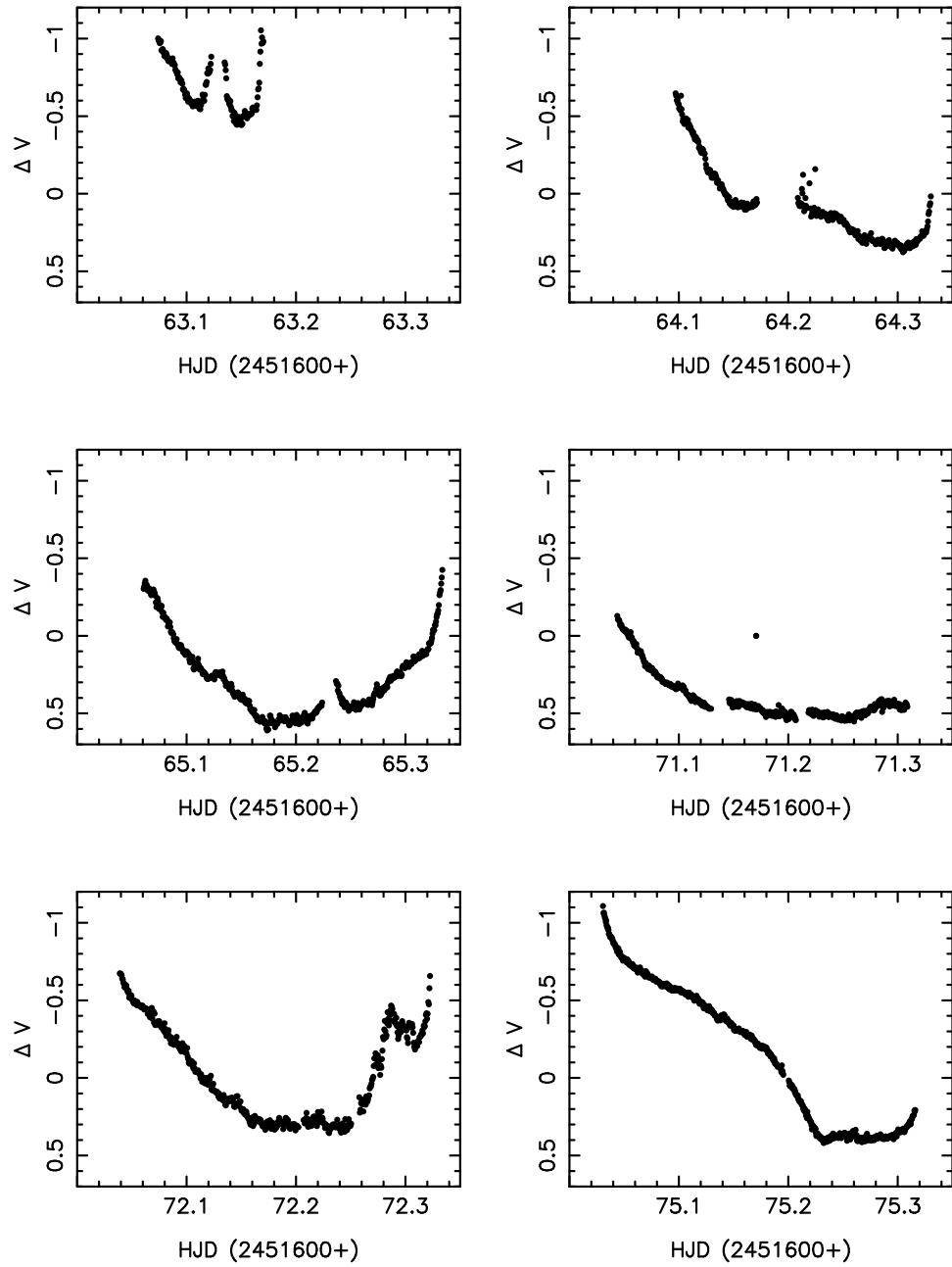
**Availability of the data:**

Upon request

**Type of variability:** Unknown

**Remarks:**

We made a CCD photometry on the eclipsing binary TW CrB in 2000. For the observations, the star GSC 2038\_1730 was employed as one of the reference stars. During the data reduction, we find that it is a variable star with peculiar light curve. The full amplitude of light variations is larger than 1.5 mag. The period and the type of variability remain unknown.



**Figure 1.** The real-time light curves of GSC 2038\_1730