

EE330 Lab 11  
Section 5, 8:00 am

Thyristor Device Characterization and  
Applications

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### Part One: Extract $V_{gt}$ and $I_{gt}$

At switch

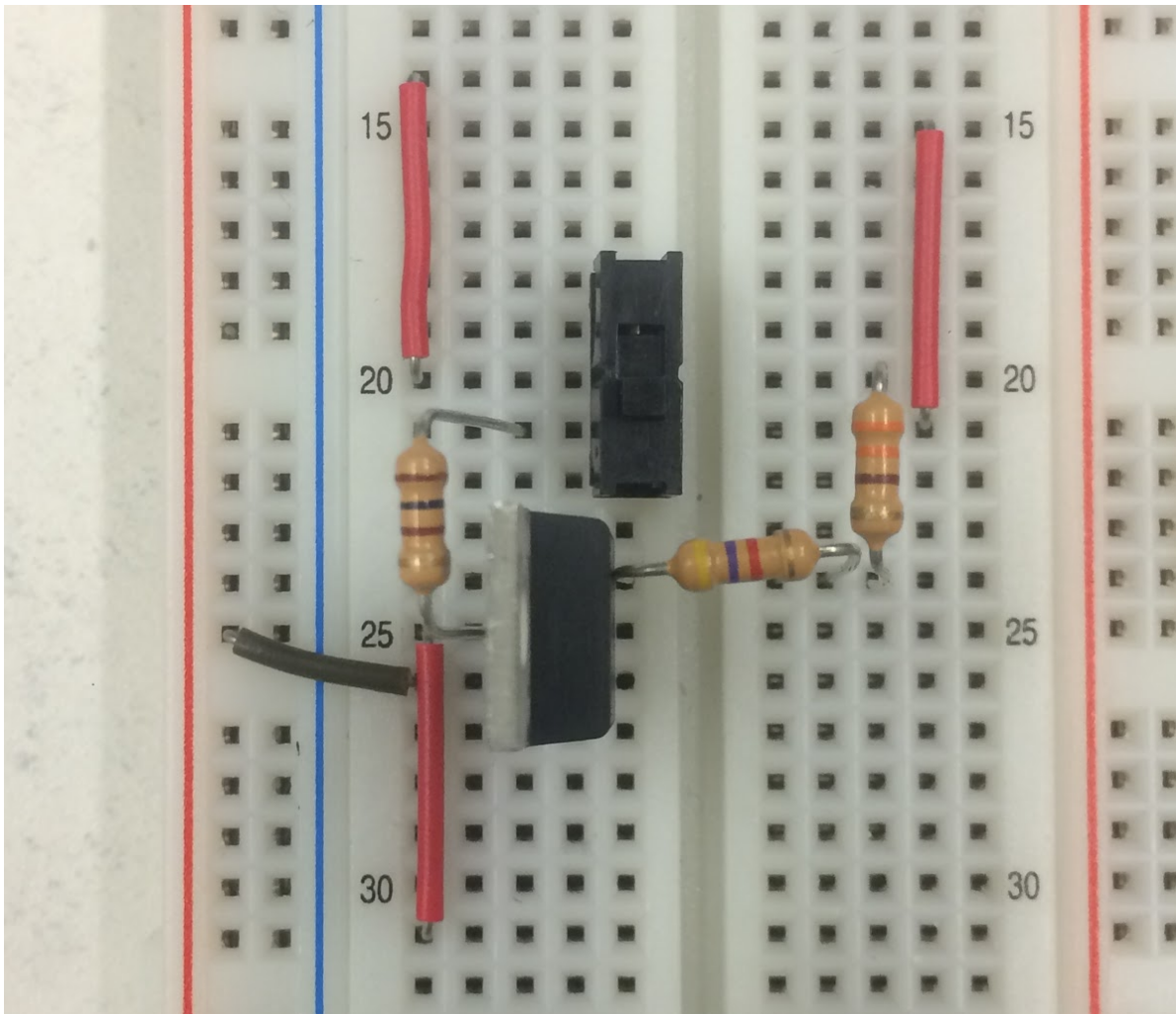
$$V_1 = .753 \text{ V}$$

$$V_3 = .90 \text{ V}$$

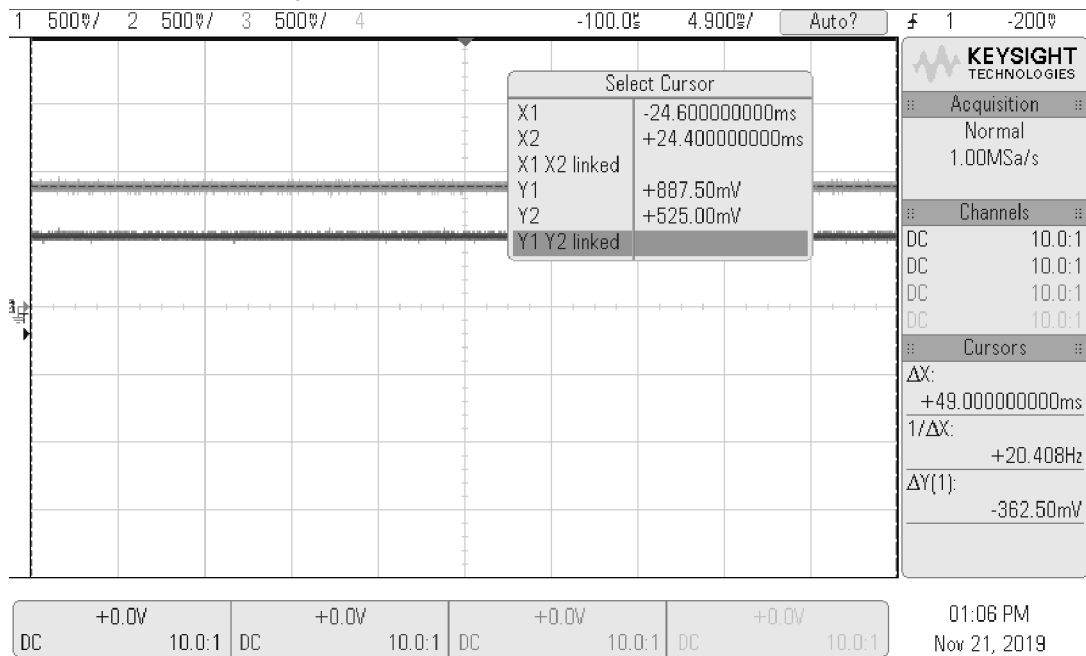
$$V_2 = .715 \text{ V}$$

$$I_{GT} = (.9 - .715) / 5000 = 37 \text{ uA}$$

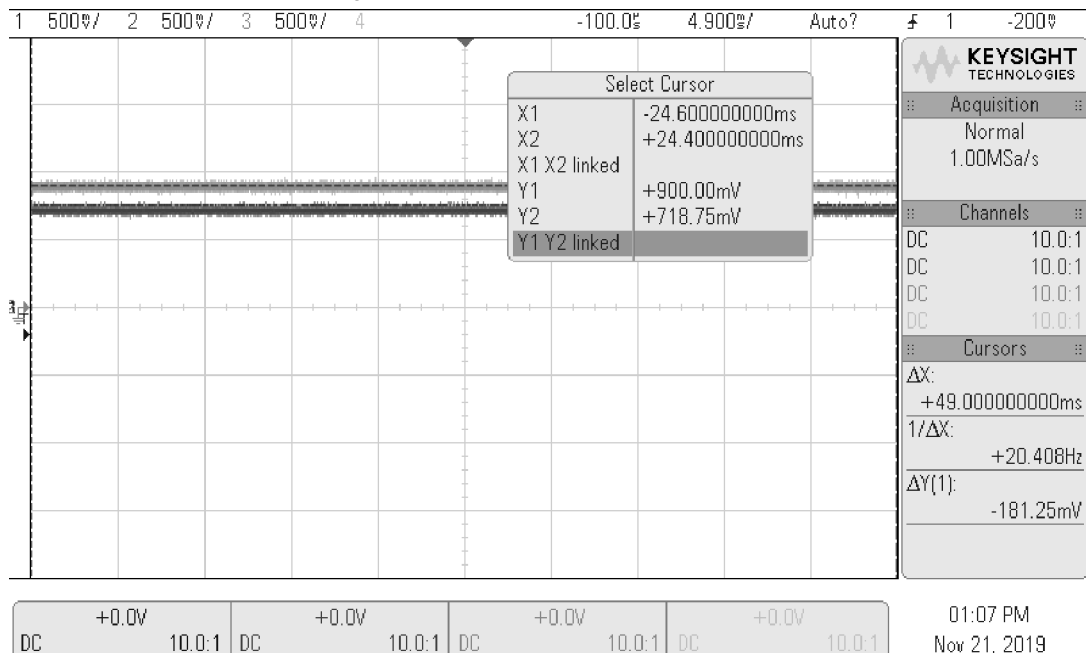
$$\text{Datasheet: } I_{GT} = 200 \text{ uA}$$



Here,  $V_G = \sim 890$  mV, and the SRC was not yet active.

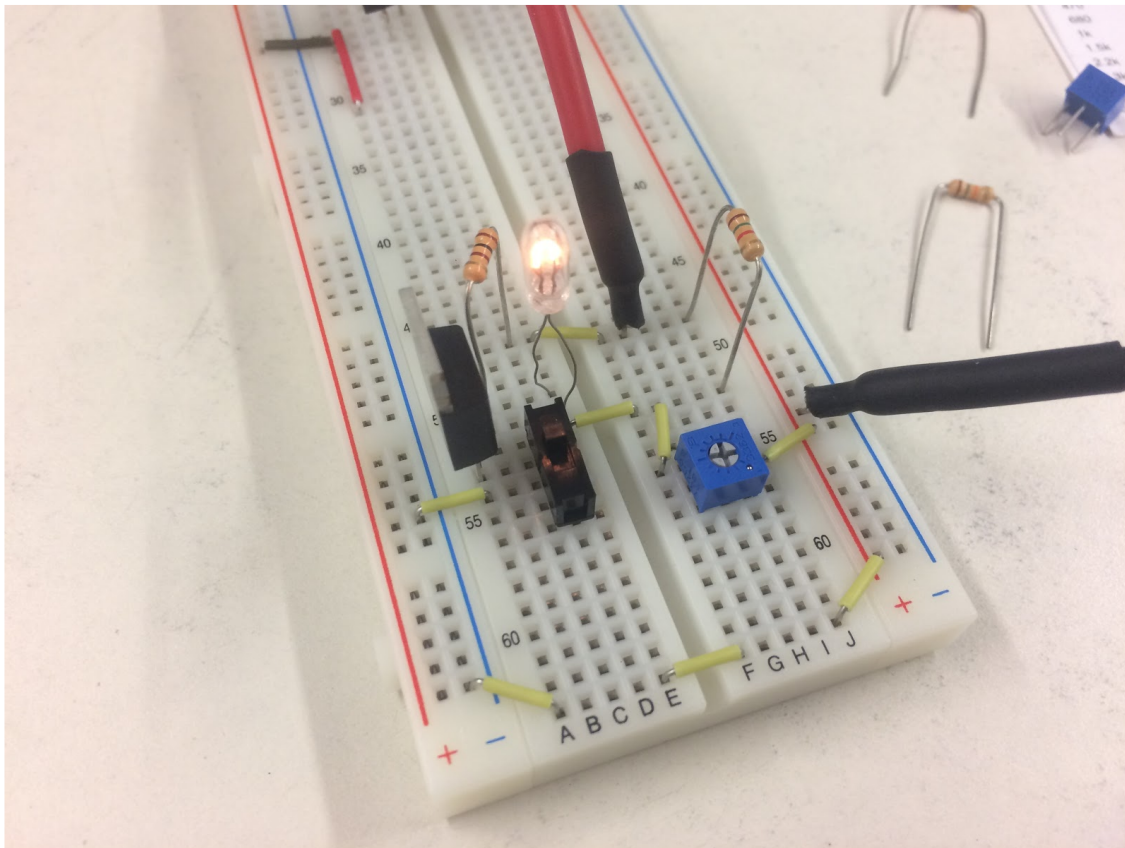
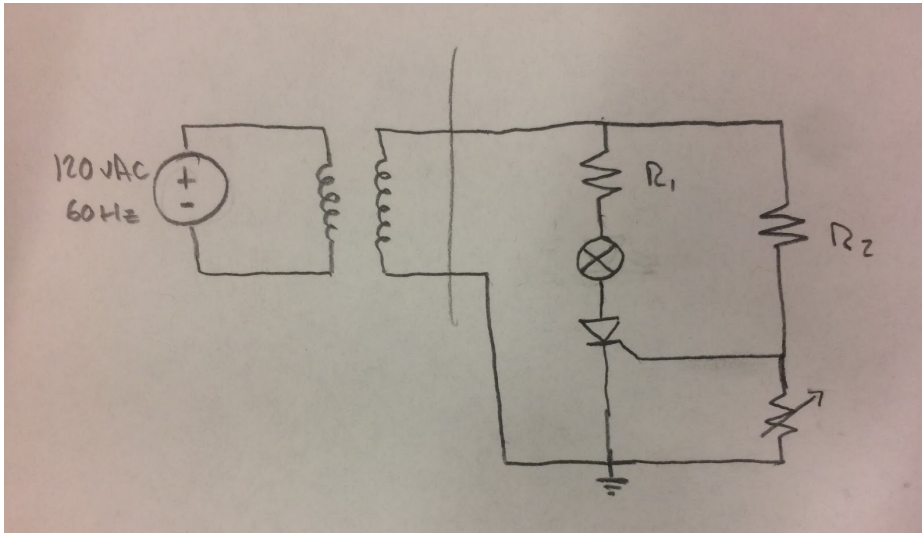


Here,  $V_G = 900$  mV, and the SRC was active.



## Part Two: Light Dimmer

The light dimmer circuit design is shown below:



### Part Three: Burglar Alarm

The burglar alarm circuit schematic is shown below:

