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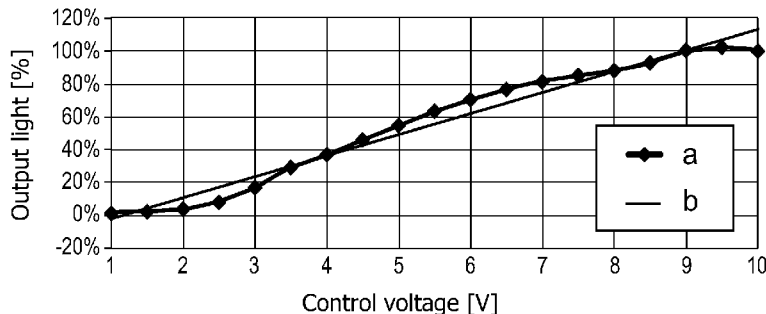
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(54) Title: METHOD OF CONTROLLING A LIGHTING DEVICE



**FIG. 2**

(57) Abstract: According to an aspect of the invention, a method of controlling a lighting device is provided. The method comprises receiving an input from a dimmer, the input being representative of a desired light output level for the lighting device. A control voltage for operating a driver unit comprised in the lighting device is computed based on the input and a calibrated relationship between power consumption and control voltage for the lighting device.

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