1056-Z1-1195Joshua Cooper, John Lenz, Timothy LeSaulnier, Paul Wenger*
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Given two graphs G and H, we say that G is *H*-saturated if G does not contain H as a subgraph, but the addition of any edge to G completes a copy of H. Furthermore, G is *uniquely H*-saturated if G does not contain H and the addition of any edge completes exactly one copy of H. We determine all uniquely H-saturated graphs when H is a path and when H is a cycle with at most four vertices. In each such case, there are only finitely many uniquely H-saturated graphs. (Received September 21, 2009)