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MOOC-ing about in Physics CHARLES H. HOLBROW, MIT/Colgate — I have enrolled in and explored a half dozen Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) that teach physics, including one taught in French and one taught in Russian. These show an interesting variety of approaches that I will review and compare using examples from the different courses. Can MOOCs be effective for beginning learners? I will discuss for whom the courses seem likely to be most useful.

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