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We study successive minima of a given lattice with respect to a symmetric convex body  $K(q)$  depending on the parameter  $q$ . More precisely,  $K(q)$  is the image of a given body  $K$  when applying the  $q$ -th power  $T^q$  of a symmetric linear map  $T$ . The subject arose from Diophantine Approximation where (in the simplest case) one deals with approximation to a given irrational by rationals with denominator at most  $e^q$ . After a brief review of basic facts we will discuss some current work and conjectures. (Received September 20, 2017)