Almost periodic patterns and quasicrystals.

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Quasicrystals are almost periodic structures. This belongs to the folklore but depends on the definition of almost periodicity which is being used. This issue has already been discussed in a paper published in the African Diaspora Journal of Mathematics (Volume 13, Number 1, pp. 1–45 (2012)). Here we give another approach based on the analysis of patches of a quasicrystal. Patches became one of the most powerfull tools in image processing. This is a joint work with Pierre-Antoine Guihéneuf.