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*Packing and covering directed triangles.*

We prove that if a directed multigraph  $D$  has at most  $t$  pairwise arc-disjoint directed triangles, then there exists a set of less than  $2t$  arcs in  $D$  which meets all directed triangles in  $D$ , except in the trivial case  $t = 0$ . This answers affirmatively a question of Tuza from 1990. (Received January 08, 2019)