

Table S4. Relative binding affinities of promoters for TBP and TFBc

Gene	Promoter sequence (BRE/TATA box)	BRE/TATA box score (bit)	Relative binding affinity ^a
MJ0842	AAAACCTGGATATATATA	5.58	0.025
MJ0319	AACAATAATTTAAATA	11.88	0.026
MJ1265	ATCAAAAAGCTTAAAG	5.34	0.046
MJ0822	ATCGTAAGATTATATA	14.53	0.050
MJ1534	AATAGAAAACCTTAATTA	3.08	0.062
MJ1266	CTCGAAAAATTAAATA	13.32	0.096
MJ0891	CGCAAAAAGAATATATT	7.19	0.105
MJ0746	ACCATTAATATTATATA	11.20	0.153
MJ1404	CTGTTAAACTTAAATA	9.59	0.162
MJ0318	ATGATAAGATATTAATA	10.58	0.268
MJ1053	TACAAAAACTTAAATA	12.80	0.280
MJ1054	AACGAAAATTATAAGTA	10.45	0.411
tRNA ^{Cys} (GCA) ^b	ACCATAAAATTATATA	15.39	0.345
tRNA ^{Leu} (GAG) ^b	GGCGTAAAGTTTATATA	12.23	0.521
tRNA ^{Met} (CAT) ^b	GCCGAAAAGTATATATA	14.56	0.521
tRNA ^{Ser} (GCT) ^b	AACGAAAACCTATATATA	15.30	0.563
tRNA ^{Val} (TAC) ^b	AGCATAAACTTATATA	13.90	0.876
tRNA ^{Ser} (TGA) ^b	ACCGTAAAATTATATA	15.79	0.890
tRNA ^{Arg} (TCT) ^b	AACGAAAAGTATATATA	14.98	1.010
tRNA ^{Thr} (TGT) ^b	ACCGAAAAGTTATATA	16.11	1.070
tRNA ^{Ile} (GAT) ^b	ACCGAAAAGTATATATA	15.96	1.465
tRNA ^{Ala} (GGC) ^b	ATAGAAAAGTTATATA	14.35	1.494
tRNA ^{Lys} (TTT) ^b	ACCGAAAAGTATATATA	15.96	1.591
tRNA ^{Ser} (GGA) ^b	ACCGAAAATAATATATA	13.48	1.673
tRNA ^{Phe} (GAA) ^b	ACCGAAAAGTTATATA	16.11	1.679
tRNA ^{Val} (GAC) ^b	ACCGAAAAGTTATATA	16.11	1.684
tRNA ^{Gly} (GCC) ^b	ACCGAAAAGTATTTATA	14.83	1.765
tRNA ^{Leu} (TAA) ^b	ACCGAAAAGTATATATA	15.96	2.964
tRNA ^{Val} (CAC) ^c	ACCATAAAAATTTATA	11.69	0.064
tRNA ^{Arg} (GCG) ^c	AACAAAAACTAAAATTA	5.32	0.069
tRNA ^{Trp} (CCA) ^c	ACCGTAAAATTATATA	15.79	0.512

^aData of the tRNA promoters from (1).^bIdentified by the *in vitro* selection (2).^cIdentified computationally (1).

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