Supplemental Table 1. Statistical enrichment of motifs from Figure 3 (TSS motifs 1-3) and Figure 4 (TTS motif 4) in different kinds of intergenic regions in each *Theileria* genome. This table shows the results of two-sided Pearson's chi-square test for each comparison (red = p-value < 0.05).

Theileria parva		Comparisons	
Motif	5'5' vs 5'3'	5'3' vs 3'3'	5'5' vs 3'3'
TSS 1	8.73E-01	4.93E-12	3.94E-10
TSS 2	7.80E-02	8.27E-06	8.57E-08
TSS 3	0.41515994	7.99E-01	7.39E-01
TTS 4	1.20E-03	5.32E-17	1.40E-21
Theileria annulata			
Motif	5'5' vs 5'3'	5'3' vs 3'3'	5'5' vs 3'3'
TSS 1	3.87E-02	1.04E-17	2.27E-22
TSS 2	3.15E-18	1.45E-37	1.36E-75
TSS 3	1.00E+00	8.53E-01	1.00E+00
TTS 4	3.31E-01	3.39E-05	9.34E-03
Theileria orientalis			
Motif	5'5' vs 5'3'	5'3' vs 3'3'	5'5' vs 3'3'
TSS 1	1.37E-01	8.92E-22	1.25E-25
TSS 2	9.60E-06	3.13E-19	5.98E-33
TSS 3	2.07E-01	3.56E-01	8.71E-01
TTS 4	1.61E-02	5.34E-01	1.32E-01
Theileria equi			
Motif	5'5' vs 5'3'	5'3' vs 3'3'	5'5' vs 3'3'
TSS 1	3.05E-08	7.46E-22	4.60E-38
TSS 2	1.25E-21	8.13E-39	1.51E-80
TSS 3	2.20E-09	2.57E-04	2.42E-14
TTS 4	7.37E-03	2.54E-07	1.86E-11

Supplemental Table 2. Hexamers that potentially act as polyadenylation signals in T. parva.

Iterations	Top Hexamer
1	AAAAUA
2	UAAUUU
3	AAAAUU
4	UAAUAU
5	UUUAAA

Supplemental Table 3. The top 10 most frequent GO terms found in the T. parva Muguga functional annotation

GO Term	Frequency	Name
GO:0005524	337	ATP binding
GO:0005634	228	nucleus
GO:0005737	200	cytoplasm
CO:0016021	101	integral component of
60.0016021	121	membrane
GO:0003677	110	DNA binding
GO:0046872	109	metal ion binding
GO:0003723	106	RNA binding
GO:0005829	103	cytosol
CO:0002725	06	structural constituent of
60.0003735	90	ribosome
GO:0005730	96	nucleolus

	Bp extracted are	ound gene family 1 transcriptio	n initation sites
Motif Number	25	50	100
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			
9			
10			

Supplemental Table 4. Motifs found upstream of gene family 1, Subtelomere-encoded Variable Secreted Protein (SVSP) family.

Motif Number	25	50	100
1			
2			
3			
4		GLAASATCAATGAAA	
5			
6			
7			

Supplemental Table 5. Motifs found upstream of gene family 2, Hypothetical DUF529 Gene family. Bp extracted around gene family 2 transcription initation sites

Supplemental Table 6. Motifs found upstream of gene family 3, Protein Tyrosine Kinase family. Bp extracted around gene family 3 transcription initation sites

Motif Number	25	50	100
1			

	Bp extracted are	ound gene family 4 transcription in	itation sites
Motif Number	25	50	100
1			
2			
3			
4	• MAGTACTOGTA GAT		
5			
6			
7			
Supplemental Ta	ble 8 Motifs found up	stream of gene family 5	DEAD/DEAH Box Helic

Supplemental Table 7. Motifs found upstream of gene family 4, *T. parva* Repeat (Tpr) family.

Ipplemental Table 8. Motifs found upstream of gene family 5, DEAD/DEAH Box Helicase family.

Bp extracted around gene family 5 transcription initation sites

Motif Number	25	50	100
1			

Supplemental Table 9. Motifs found upstream of gene family 6, *T. parva* Host Nucleus (TpHN) family.

	Bp extracted arc	ound gene family 6 transcription	n initation sites
Motif Number	25	50	100
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			

Supplemental Table 10. Motifs found upstream of gene family 7, DnaJ Chaperone family.

	Bp extract	ted around gene family 7 transcrip	tion initation sites
Motif Number	25	50	100

	Bp extracted around gene family 8 transcription initation sites		
Motif Number	25	50	100
1			^a CaA _T TTGTGCACCA

Supplemental Table 11. Motifs found upstream of gene family 8, ATPase family.

Supplemental Table 12. Motifs found upstream of gene family 9, Hypothetical Protein family. Bp extracted around gene family 9 transcription initation sites

Motif Number	25	50	100
1			* CTAICAN GLAC LAG
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			



Supplemental Table 13. Motifs found upstream of gene family 10, ABC Transporter family.

Supplemental Table 14. Motifs found upstream of gene family 11, Hypothetical Protein family. Bp extracted around gene family 11 transcription initation sites



Supplemental Table 15. Motifs found upstream of gene family 12, Hypothetical Protein family.

	Bp extracte	Bp extracted around gene family 12 transcription initation sites				
Motif Number	25	50	100			
1						

Supplemental Table 16. Motifs found upstream of gene family 13, Hypothetical DUF529 Protein family.

Bp extracted around gene family 13 transcription initation sites

Motif Number	25	50	100
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			

Supplemental Table 17. Motifs found upstream of gene family 14, Cyclophilin-type Peptidyl-prolyl *cis-trans* Isomerase family.

	Bp extracted around gene family 14 transcription initation sites			
Motif Number	25	50	100	
1				

Supplemental Table 18. Motifs found upstream of gene family 15, Hypothetical Protein family.

	Bp extracted aro	Bp extracted around gene family 15 transcription initation sites				
Motif Number	25	50	100			
1						

Supplemental Table 19. Motifs found upstream of gene family 20, Haloacid Dehalogenase-like Hydrolase Family.

	Bp extracted around gene family 20 transcription initation sites			
Motif Number	25	50	100	
1				

Supplemental Table 20. The distribution of motifs upsteam of the Subtelomere-encoded Variable Secreted Protein Family (SVSP) and T. parva Host Nucleus (TpHN) gene families.



Supplemental Table 21. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of Subtelomere-encoded Variable Secreted Protein Family (SVSP) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.



Supplemental Table 22. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of Subtelomere-encoded Variable Secreted Protein Family (SVSP) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.



Supplemental Table 22a. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of Subtelomereencoded Variable Secreted Protein Family (SVSP) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.



Supplemental Table 22b. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of Subtelomereencoded Variable Secreted Protein Family (SVSP) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.



Supplemental Table 22c. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of Subtelomereencoded Variable Secreted Protein Family (SVSP) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.



Supplemental Table 23. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of T. parva Host Nucleus (TpHN) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.



Supplemental Table 24. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of T. parva Host Nucleus (TpHN) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.



Supplemental Table 25a. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of T. parva Host Nucleus (TpHN) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.

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Supplemental Table 25b. The genomic distribution of motifs found upstream of T. parva Host Nucleus (TpHN) genes. The "search" column indicates the number of base pairs upstream and downstream of transcription initiation sites that were used for the motif search.



Supplemental Table 26. The conservation of gene networks downstream of the three highestconserved motifs. Note that each table is not symmetrical across the diagonal because each species has different numbers of motifs, as well as number of orthologs for some genes.

Spe2 Percent with high-confidence orthologs and upstream motif							
	Species	Bb	Te	Та	То	Тр	Total
	Тр	17.5	13.3	37.31	30.39	100	737
	T-	47.05	10.01	44.00	100	40.05	4400

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То	17.85	12.01	14.89	100	18.95	1182
Та	22.07	11.6	100	24.89	38.9	707
Te	17.38	100	12.5	21.65	14.94	656
Bb	100	12.6	17.24	23.31	14.25	905

G-box Percent with high-confidence orthologs and upstream motif

Species	Та	То	Тр	Total
Тр	47.06	26.93	100	323
То	22.94	100	26.61	327
Та	100	20.95	42.46	358

NFkB-like Percent with high-confidence orthologs and upstream motif

Species	Bb	Та	То	Тр	Total
Тр	2.21	34.56	16.18	100	136
То	2.16	10.39	100	9.53	231
Та	1.74	100	10.43	20.43	230
Bb	100	6.06	7.58	4.55	66