

Table S4

Amino Acid	Codon	Codon GC content	Codon Frequency			
			Within DNA-guided nucleosomes, relative to within <i>trans</i> factor-guided nucleosomes	Within DNA-guided nucleosomes	Within <i>trans</i> factor-guided nucleosomes	Within all regions
A	GCG	1.000	0.361	0.019	0.052	0.019
	GCT	0.667	0.857	0.537	0.626	0.537
	GCA	0.667	1.309	0.348	0.266	0.340
	GCC	1.000	1.705	0.097	0.057	0.104
C	TGT	0.333	0.672	0.465	0.693	0.535
	TGC	0.667	1.742	0.535	0.307	0.465
D	GAT	0.333	0.923	0.801	0.868	0.805
	GAC	0.667	1.510	0.199	0.132	0.195
E	GAA	0.333	0.951	0.801	0.842	0.811
	GAG	0.667	1.261	0.199	0.158	0.189
F	TTC	0.333	0.942	0.313	0.332	0.311
	TTT	0.000	1.029	0.687	0.668	0.689
G	GGA	0.667	0.737	0.434	0.588	0.438
	GGT	0.667	1.082	0.391	0.361	0.398
	GGC	1.000	3.255	0.117	0.036	0.112
	GGG	1.000	3.997	0.059	0.015	0.053
H	CAT	0.333	0.929	0.667	0.718	0.695
	CAC	0.667	1.181	0.333	0.282	0.305
I	ATA	0.000	0.725	0.333	0.460	0.346
	ATT	0.000	1.224	0.509	0.416	0.509
	ATC	0.333	1.268	0.158	0.124	0.146
K	AAA	0.000	0.957	0.696	0.727	0.707
	AAG	0.333	1.114	0.304	0.273	0.293
L	CTC	0.667	0.835	0.095	0.114	0.072
	TTA	0.000	0.864	0.388	0.449	0.414
	CTT	0.333	0.878	0.212	0.241	0.217
	CTA	0.333	1.396	0.100	0.072	0.107
	TTG	0.333	1.600	0.174	0.108	0.159
	CTG	0.667	1.991	0.031	0.016	0.031

Table S4. Biases in synonymous codon usage are encoded within distinct nucleosomal regions. DNA-guided and *trans*-factor guided nucleosomes are defined as in Supplemental Fig. S19. We examined nucleosomes from the log-phase dataset (light MNase digest), and from the set “B” *in vitro* experiment (performed with 4:10 histone:DNA, light MNase digest). Codons were considered as lying within a nucleosome, according to criteria described in Supplemental Table S3. Each group of synonymous codons was analyzed separately. The most GC-rich codon(s) within each group of synonymous codon is highlighted in red. For each codon, we calculated the ratio of its frequency in sequences that lie within DNA-guided nucleosomes, to its corresponding frequency within sequences that lie within *trans* factor-guided nucleosomes. Codons enriched in DNA-guided nucleosomes have the corresponding value > 1, and are highlighted in red. It quantifies the impact of accommodating DNA-guided nucleosomes on synonymous codon usage. The underlying codon usage for 13 out of 18 amino acids was biased towards GC-rich codons within coding regions that overlap with DNA-guided nucleosomes. Two amino acids (methionine and tryptophan) only have one corresponding codon each, and were excluded from this analysis.

Table S4 (contd.)

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Amino Acid	Codon	Codon GC content	Within DNA-guided nucleosomes, relative to within <i>trans</i> factor-guided nucleosomes	Within DNA-guided nucleosomes	Within trans factor-guided nucleosomes	Within all regions
N	AAT	0.000	0.917	0.722	0.787	0.739
N	AAC	0.333	1.308	0.278	0.213	0.261
P	CCC	1.000	0.520	0.096	0.184	0.090
	CCA	0.667	0.738	0.320	0.433	0.335
	CCG	1.000	1.014	0.012	0.012	0.015
	CCT	0.667	1.543	0.572	0.371	0.560
Q	CAA	0.333	0.894	0.234	0.261	0.225
	TAA	0.000	0.950	0.522	0.550	0.556
	TAG	0.333	1.120	0.192	0.172	0.172
	CAG	0.667	3.055	0.052	0.017	0.047
R	AGA	0.333	0.902	0.719	0.797	0.729
	CGT	0.667	0.982	0.093	0.094	0.108
	CGA	0.667	0.985	0.015	0.016	0.017
	CGC	1.000	1.798	0.036	0.020	0.036
	AGG	0.667	1.864	0.135	0.072	0.108
	CGG	1.000	4.550	0.003	0.001	0.002
S	TCG	0.667	0.452	0.022	0.049	0.024
	AGT	0.333	0.808	0.194	0.240	0.210
	TCA	0.333	0.992	0.267	0.269	0.250
	TCT	0.333	1.075	0.319	0.297	0.313
	AGC	0.667	1.362	0.146	0.107	0.149
	TCC	0.667	1.363	0.053	0.039	0.054
T	ACA	0.333	0.745	0.354	0.475	0.376
	ACT	0.333	1.120	0.488	0.436	0.496
	ACC	0.667	1.711	0.136	0.079	0.105
	ACG	0.667	2.320	0.022	0.010	0.022
V	GTG	0.667	0.843	0.087	0.103	0.084
	GTT	0.333	0.909	0.500	0.550	0.495
	GTA	0.333	1.130	0.281	0.249	0.297
	GTC	0.667	1.348	0.132	0.098	0.124
Y	TAT	0.000	0.845	0.667	0.789	0.695
	TAC	0.333	1.579	0.333	0.211	0.305
M	ATG	0.333	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000
W	TGG	0.667	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000