

Figure S8 - Likelihood of held-out test data given different sizes of training dataset.

The original training data (455 canonical Cys₂His₂ zinc finger sites from TRANSFAC 7.3) were split into 10 equally-sized sets. We used each one as held-out test data, while applying the following procedure 10 times: Various portions at different sizes (from 10 to 400 binding sites) were sampled from the remaining 90% of the data. These sites were used as training data for the EM algorithm (15 iterations). We then used the held-out data as test data, and calculated its likelihood. We then averaged the likelihood over all 10 repeats.

