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"Transcription bias"
(I just saw PNAS July).

makes perfect sense.
It's just a pity we don't have
any really crisp and persuasive
and well controlled experiments.
It's awful to have to analyze week-
old (years ago) plates; and God knows what selective
and metabolic circumstances.

Hot off the press - Mellon + Hanawalt
have pretty well corroborated the
concept. Differential DNAse-I
sensitivity would be a similar para-
meter (look at Stalder, Cell 20:
451 (1980); Weintraub Cell 42:705
(1985) — but I don't have these in front
of me.)

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