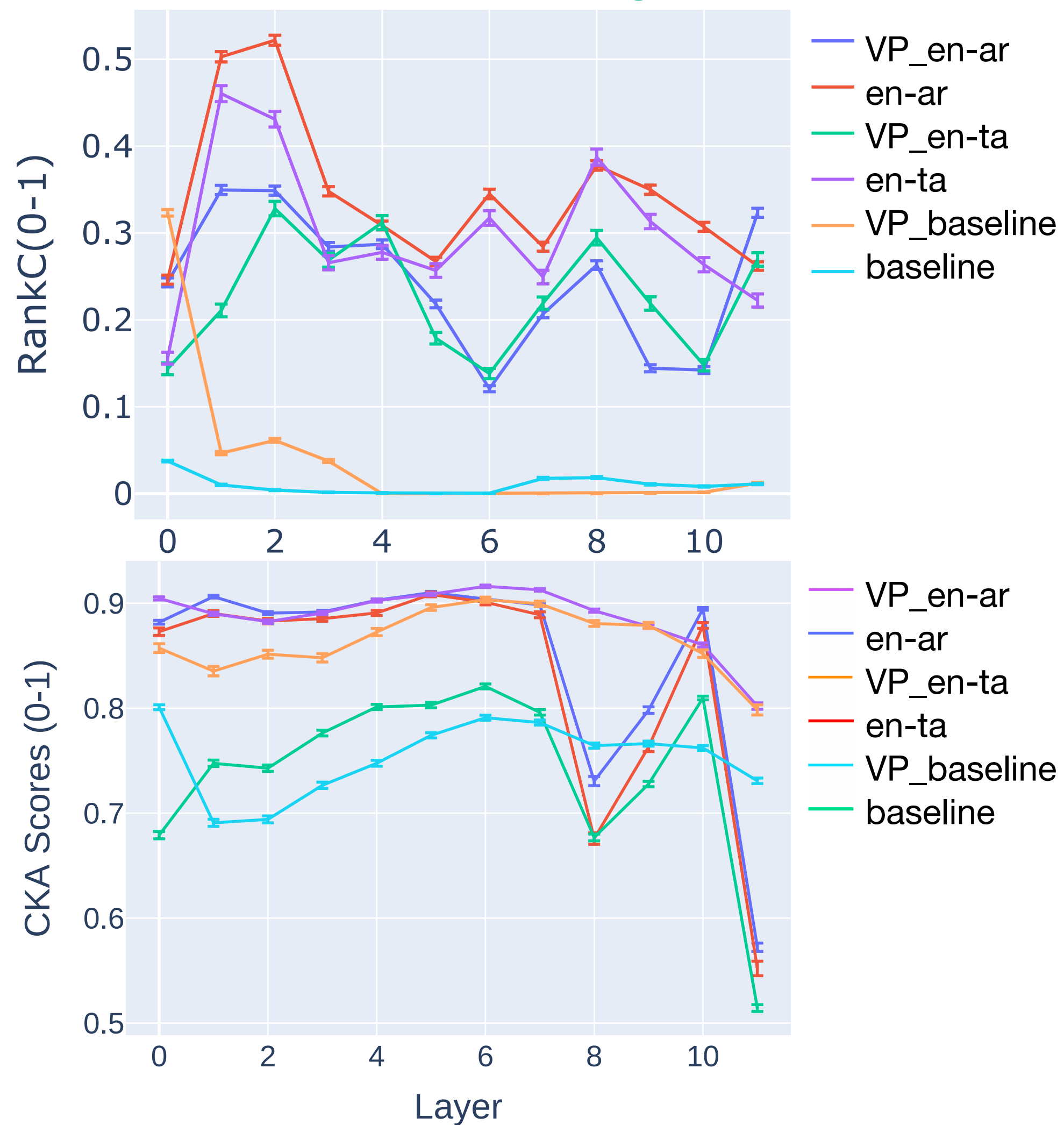


Findings

Shared language scripts contribute to cross-lingual consistency, especially for encoder and decoder models, but it is not a necessary condition to achieve it.



Method: We compare a base model with a vocabulary-expended model (VP-x) to isolate the vocabulary factor or the shared-script factor.