C. Result tables with standard deviation

In Tables 6 and 5 we provide the same results as in Tables 1 and 2 of the main paper, but with the standard deviation for each experiment.

Table 5. Mean Kendall- τ plus standard deviation between the tested explanation methods for the DistillBERT. The single sequence datasets are indicated by using the *italic* font type. Attn refers to Attention Rollout.

IMDb			Attn	LIME	Int-Grad	DeepLIFT	Grad-SHAP	Deep-SHAP
MNLI	Attn	IMDb	$1.\pm.0$	$.1259 \pm .1000$	$.1818 \pm .1256$	$.2516 \pm .0752$	$.1432 \pm .1296$	$.2303 \pm .0826$
Quora 1. ± .0 .1622 ± .1419 .0574 ± .1640 .2267 ± .1374 .0518 ± .1652 .2257 ± .1383 SNLI 1. ± .0 .1434 ± .1649 .1645 ± .1798 .2214 ± .1431 .1600 ± .1720 .1796 ± .2004		SST-2	$1.\pm.0$	$.1359\pm.1772$	$.0511 \pm .1680$	$.1328 \pm .1764$	$.0737 \pm .1629$	$.1291 \pm .1788$
SNLI 1.±.0 .1434±.1649 .1645±.1798 .2214±.1431 .1600±.1720 .1796±.2004		MNLI	$1.\pm.0$	$.2678 \pm .1196$	$.1891 \pm .1302$	$.2432 \pm .1253$	$.1905 \pm .1372$	$.2067 \pm .1609$
IMDb		Quora	$1.\pm.0$	$.1622 \pm .1419$	$.0574 \pm .1640$	$.2267 \pm .1374$	$.0518 \pm .1652$	$.2257 \pm .1383$
SST-2		SNLI	$1.\pm.0$	$.1434 \pm .1649$	$.1645 \pm .1798$	$.2214 \pm .1431$	$.1600 \pm .1720$	$.1796 \pm .2004$
MNLI	Lime	IMDb		$1.\pm.0$	$.1050\pm.1069$	$.0696 \pm .0791$	$.0929 \pm .0983$	$.0655 \pm .0796$
Quora $1.\pm.0$ $.1407 \pm .1632$ $.0032 \pm .1555$ $.1144 \pm .1597$ $.0095 \pm .1550$ SNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.1529 \pm .1588$ $.0925 \pm .1645$ $.1104 \pm .1596$ $.0593 \pm .1710$ IMDb $1.\pm.0$ $.1433 \pm .1443$ $.5495 \pm .2340$ $.1246 \pm .1335$ SST-2 $1.\pm.0$ $.0498 \pm .1897$ $.4987 \pm .2405$ $.0381 \pm .1885$ MNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.2153 \pm .1748$ $.4780 \pm .2441$ $.1708 \pm .1732$ Quora $1.\pm.0$ $.0625 \pm .2088$ $.4674 \pm .2930$ $.0529 \pm .1969$ SNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.0955 \pm .1801$ $.3932 \pm .2588$ $.0700 \pm .1829$ IMDb $1.\pm.0$ $.1306 \pm .1532$ $.4830 \pm .2469$ ET SST-2 $1.\pm.0$ $.0522 \pm .2059$ $.4514 \pm .3031$ MNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.0537 \pm .2772$ $.5951 \pm .3210$ MV $1.\pm.0$ $.0637 \pm .2272$ $.5951 \pm .3210$ AP SST-2 $1.\pm.0$ $.1181 \pm .2120$ $.5554 \pm .3576$ AP MNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.0419 \pm .1919$ AP SST-2 $1.\pm.0$ $.0535 \pm .2131$		SST-2		$1. \pm .0$	$.2861 \pm .1658$	$.0618 \pm .1702$	$.2414 \pm .1715$	$.0499 \pm .1668$
Quora $1.\pm.0$ $.1407 \pm .1632$ $.0032 \pm .1555$ $.1144 \pm .1597$ $.0095 \pm .1550$ SNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.1529 \pm .1588$ $.0925 \pm .1645$ $.1104 \pm .1596$ $.0593 \pm .1710$ IMDb $1.\pm.0$ $.1433 \pm .1443$ $.5495 \pm .2340$ $.1246 \pm .1335$ SST-2 $1.\pm.0$ $.0498 \pm .1897$ $.4987 \pm .2405$ $.0381 \pm .1885$ MNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.2153 \pm .1748$ $.4780 \pm .2441$ $.1708 \pm .1732$ Quora $1.\pm.0$ $.0625 \pm .2088$ $.4674 \pm .2930$ $.0529 \pm .1969$ SNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.0955 \pm .1801$ $.3932 \pm .2588$ $.0700 \pm .1829$ IMDb $1.\pm.0$ $.1306 \pm .1532$ $.4830 \pm .2469$ ET SST-2 $1.\pm.0$ $.0522 \pm .2059$ $.4514 \pm .3031$ MNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.0537 \pm .2772$ $.5951 \pm .3210$ MV $1.\pm.0$ $.0637 \pm .2272$ $.5951 \pm .3210$ AP SST-2 $1.\pm.0$ $.1181 \pm .2120$ $.5554 \pm .3576$ AP MNLI $1.\pm.0$ $.0419 \pm .1919$ AP SST-2 $1.\pm.0$ $.0535 \pm .2131$		MNLI		$1. \pm .0$	$.1794 \pm .1324$	$.1526 \pm .1291$	$.1592 \pm .1367$	$.1205 \pm .1493$
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		Quora		$1. \pm .0$	$.1407 \pm .1632$	$.0032 \pm .1555$	$.1144 \pm .1597$	$.0095 \pm .1550$
$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		SNLI		$1. \pm .0$	$.1529 \pm .1588$	$.0925 \pm .1645$	$.1104 \pm .1596$	$.0593 \pm .1710$
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		IMDb			$1.\pm.0$	$.1433 \pm .1443$	$.5495 \pm .2340$	$.1246\pm.1335$
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	rad	SST-2			$1.\pm.0$	$.0498 \pm .1897$	$.4987 \pm .2405$	$.0381 \pm .1885$
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	<u> Ţ</u>	MNLI			$1. \pm .0$	$.2153 \pm .1748$	$.4780 \pm .2441$	$.1708\pm.1732$
$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	II	Quora			$1.\pm.0$	$.0625 \pm .2088$	$.4674 \pm .2930$	$.0529 \pm .1969$
$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		SNLI			$1.\pm.0$	$.0955 \pm .1801$	$.3932 \pm .2588$	$.0700 \pm .1829$
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		IMDb				$1.\pm.0$	$.1306 \pm .1532$	$.4830 \pm .2469$
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	FI	SST-2				$1.\pm.0$	$.0522 \pm .2059$	$.4514 \pm .3031$
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Tda	MNLI				$1.\pm.0$	$.2324 \pm .2078$	$.4985 \pm .2949$
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Ďe	Quora				$1.\pm.0$	$.0637 \pm .2272$	$.5951 \pm .3210$
$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		SNLI				$1.\pm.0$	$.1181 \pm .2120$	$.5554 \pm .3576$
SNLI $1. \pm .0$ $.0851 \pm .2108$ IMDb $1. \pm .0$ SST-2 $1. \pm .0$ MNLI $1. \pm .0$ Quora $1. \pm .0$		IMDb					1. ± .0	$.1093 \pm .1342$
SNLI $1. \pm .0$ $.0851 \pm .2108$ IMDb $1. \pm .0$ SST-2 $1. \pm .0$ MNLI $1. \pm .0$ Quora $1. \pm .0$	ΗΨ	SST-2					$1.\pm.0$	$.0419 \pm .1919$
SNLI $1. \pm .0$ $.0851 \pm .2108$ IMDb $1. \pm .0$ SST-2 $1. \pm .0$ MNLI $1. \pm .0$ Quora $1. \pm .0$	S-F	MNLI					$1.\pm.0$	$.1752 \pm .1902$
SNLI $1. \pm .0$ $.0851 \pm .2108$ IMDb $1. \pm .0$ SST-2 $1. \pm .0$ MNLI $1. \pm .0$ Quora $1. \pm .0$	Gra	Quora					$1.\pm.0$	$.0535 \pm .2131$
$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		SNLI					$1.\pm.0$	$.0851 \pm .2108$
		IMDb						1. ± .0
	Deep-SHAF	SST-2						$1.\pm.0$
		MNLI						$1.\pm.0$
		Quora						$1.\pm.0$
		SNLI						$1.\pm.0$

Table 6. Mean Kendall- τ plus standard deviation between the tested explanation methods for the BiLSTM. The single sequence datasets are indicated by using the *italic* font type. Attn refers to Attention Weights.

		Attn	LIME	Int-Grad	DeepLIFT	Grad-SHAP	Deep-SHAP
Attn	IMDL				•		
	IMDb	$1. \pm .0$	$.2014 \pm .0790$	$.2188 \pm .0815$ $.1093 \pm .2554$	$.2494 \pm .1028$	$.2209 \pm .0834$ $.1101 \pm .2534$	$.2309 \pm .1219$ $.1400 \pm .2672$
	SST-2	$1. \pm .0$	$.1326 \pm .2372$		$.1372 \pm .2575$		
	MNLI	$1. \pm .0$	$.1958 \pm .1496$	$.2523 \pm .1654$	$.2549 \pm .1570$	$.2473 \pm .1651$	$.2370 \pm .1550$
	Quora	$1. \pm .0$	$.0363 \pm .2243$	$.0143 \pm .2019$	$.0894 \pm .2084$	$.0182 \pm .2060$	$.1017 \pm .2311$
	SNLI	1. ± .0	.2198 ± .1761	$.2566 \pm .1748$.3158 ± .1555	$.2517 \pm .1782$.2938 ± .1556
ō	IMDb		$1. \pm .0$	$.6538 \pm .1557$	$.5854 \pm .1495$	$.6486 \pm .1544$	$.5584 \pm .1609$
	SST-2		$1. \pm .0$	$.4968 \pm .2739$	$.4734 \pm .2669$	$.4962 \pm .2751$	$.4422 \pm .2704$
Lime	MNLI		$1. \pm .0$	$.3281 \pm .1417$	$.2444 \pm .1452$	$.3187 \pm .1398$	$.2269 \pm .1495$
	Quora		$1. \pm .0$	$.2099 \pm .1943$	$.1900 \pm .1887$	$.2037 \pm .1939$	$.1670 \pm .2036$
	SNLI		$1. \pm .0$	$.2673 \pm .1650$	$.1676 \pm .1640$	$.2481 \pm .1688$	$.1566\pm.1682$
-	IMDb			1. ± .0	.7331 ± .1155	.9409 ± .0504	$.6994 \pm .1342$
aq	SST-2			$1.\pm.0$	$.8683 \pm .1032$	$.9707 \pm .0382$	$.8063 \pm .1561$
Int-Grad	MNLI			$1.\pm.0$	$.4984 \pm .1561$	$.8138 \pm .1219$	$.4021 \pm .1690$
In	Quora			$1.\pm.0$	$.2906 \pm .2374$	$.7420 \pm .2089$	$.2290 \pm .2343$
	SNLI			$1.\pm.0$	$.2461 \pm .1738$	$.6535 \pm .1848$	$.2165 \pm .1800$
	IMDb				1. ± .0	.7378 ± .1192	.8593 ± .1453
Ξ	SST-2				$1.\pm.0$	$.8682 \pm .1068$	$.8729 \pm .1442$
DeepLIFT	MNLI				$1.\pm.0$	$.4987 \pm .1732$	$.6208 \pm .2175$
Dec	Quora				$1.\pm.0$	$.3158 \pm .2473$	$.6179 \pm .3241$
	SNLI				$1. \pm .0$	$.2557 \pm .1937$	$.5791 \pm .2748$
	IMDb					1. ± .0	$.7021 \pm .1366$
Grad-SHAP	SST-2					$1.\pm.0$	$.8056 \pm .1566$
I-SF	MNLI					$1.\pm.0$	$.4015 \pm .1757$
Эrа	Quora					$1.\pm.0$	$.2433 \pm .2417$
J	SNLI					$1.\pm.0$	$.2219 \pm .1927$
Deep-SHAP	IMDb						1. ± .0
	SST-2						$1.\pm.0$
	MNLI						$1. \pm .0$
	Quora						$1. \pm .0$
П	SNLI						$1. \pm .0$