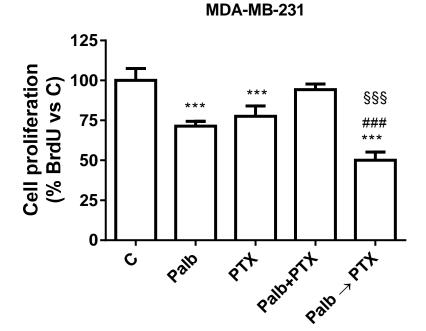
## Pre-treatment with the CDK4/6 inhibitor palbociclib improves the efficacy of paclitaxel in TNBC cells

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Supplementary Fig.2 Palbociclib combined with paclitaxel induces different effects on cell proliferation depending on the treatment schedule MDA-MB-231 cells were incubated for 48h with 0.5  $\mu$ M palbociclib (Palb) and 10 nM paclitaxel (PTX) alone or simultaneously combined (Palb+PTX), or were treated with palbociclib for 24h and then with paclitaxel for further 48h (Palb $\rightarrow$ PTX). During the last 16h of treatment, BrdU was added and cell proliferation was assessed. Data are expressed as % of Brdu vs C and are representative of two independent experiments. \*\*\*p<0.001 vs C; ###p<0.001 vs PTX; <sup>§§§</sup>p<0.001 vs Palb+PTX.