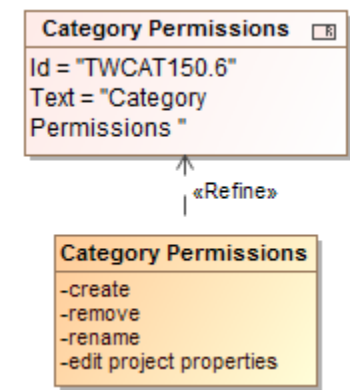


# Refine

A 'Refine' relationship is a dependency that describes how a model element or a set of elements refine a requirement. For example, a use case or activity diagram may be used to refine a text-based functional requirement. Alternatively, it may be used to show how a text-based requirement refines a model element. In this case, some elaborated text could be used to refine a less fine- grained model element.



**Related diagrams**

- [Requirement Diagram](#)
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