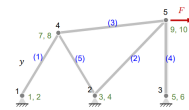


UML STRUCTURAL SOLVER



THIS UML DIAGRAM REPRESENTS THE OPP STRUCTURE THAT HAS BEEN FOLLOWED TO DESIGN A STRUCTURAL NUMERIC SOLVER OF ARTICULATED MECHANICAL STRUCTURES

n_d : Problem dimension, i.e. $n_d = 2$ (2D).
 n_{el} : Total number of bars.
 n_{nd} : Total number of nodes (joints).
 n_{ne} : Number of nodes in a bar, i.e. $n_{ne} = 2$.
 n_f : Degrees of freedom per node, i.e. $n_f = 2$.
 n_{def} : Total number of degrees of freedom, i.e. $n_{def} = n_{nd} \times n_f$.
 x : Nodal coordinates array ($n_{nd} \times n_d$):
 T_n : Nodal connectivity table ($n_{nd} \times n_{ne}$). Example:
 T_d : Degrees of freedom connectivity table ($n_d \times (n_{ne} \times n_f)$).

