

# Assignment 1: ATM Simulator with Function Parameters

## Objective

Simulate a simple ATM system that allows a user to check their balance, deposit money, withdraw money, print a mini statement, and exit the system, while demonstrating different **function parameter passing techniques in C#**.

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## Implementation Steps

1. **Create a new C# Console Application.**
  2. **Display your name and the program title** at the top of the program.
    - Display:  
`==== Simple ATM System ===`
  3. **Initialize the account balance** to `1000.00`.
    - Display once at the start:  
`Initial Balance: ₦1000.00`
  4. **Use a while loop** to keep the program running until the user selects the Exit option.
  5. **Display the ATM menu using switch-case:**
    - 1: Check Balance
    - 2: Deposit Money
    - 3: Withdraw Money
    - 4: Print Mini Statement
    - 5: Exit
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## Menu Options and Required Function Usage

### Option 1: Check Balance

- Create a function that **receives the balance by value**.
- Display:

`Current Balance: ₦{amount}`

👉 Pass-by-value is used because the balance is only read.

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## Option 2: Deposit Money

- Prompt:  
`Enter amount to deposit:`
- Validate that the amount is **positive** using **if-else**.
- Create a function that **updates the balance using ref**.
- On success:  
`Deposit successful.`  
`Updated Balance: ₹{amount}`
- On invalid input:  
`Invalid deposit amount. Please enter a positive value.`
  - Use **continue**.

👉 **ref** allows the balance to be modified.

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## Option 3: Withdraw Money

- Prompt:  
`Enter amount to withdraw:`
- Create a function that:
  - Uses **ref** to update the balance
  - Uses **out** to return the withdrawal status
- On success:  
`Withdrawal successful.`  
`Updated Balance: ₹{amount}`
- If insufficient balance:  
`Withdrawal failed. Insufficient balance.`
- If invalid amount:  
`Invalid withdrawal amount. Please enter a positive value.`
  - Use **continue**.

👉 **ref** updates the balance, **out** communicates success or failure.

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#### Option 4: Print Mini Statement

- Create a function that **receives values by value**.
- Display:

--- Mini Statement ---

Current Balance: ₦{amount}

Last Transaction Amount: ₦{amount}

 Pass-by-value is used because this option is display-only.

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#### Option 5: Exit

- Display:  
Thank you for using the ATM. Goodbye!
- Use **break** to exit the program loop.

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### Input Validation and Control Flow

6. Use **if-else** for validating amounts.
7. Use **continue** to repeat the menu on invalid input.
8. If the user enters an invalid menu option, display:  
Invalid option selected. Please try again.
  - Redirect the user back to the menu.

 **Important Implementation Note (Read Before Coding)**

For this activity, your program is **already structured**.

You are **NOT allowed to modify Program.cs**.

You will work **ONLY** on the following files:

 **BankingService.cs**

- This file contains **all business logic**
- Implement all ATM-related operations here:
  - Check Balance (pass-by-value)

- Deposit (using `ref`)
- Withdraw (using `ref` and `out`)
- Store the last transaction amount
- Logic for printing the bank statement (pass-by-value)
- **Do NOT use `Console.ReadLine()` or `Console.WriteLine()` in this file**
- This file should be **unit-test friendly**

📌 Think of this as "*the brain of the ATM*"

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## ✓ BankingView.cs

- This file is responsible for **all user interaction**

- Display menus, prompts, and messages such as:
  - ATM menu options
  - Balance display
  - Error messages
  - Mini statement output

- **No business logic should be written here**

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## 🚫 Program.cs (DO NOT MODIFY)

- Controls the program flow:
  - `while` loop
  - `switch-case`
  - `continue` and `break`
- Calls methods from:
  - `BankingService`
  - `BankingView`

📌 If your solution requires changing `Program.cs`, your design is incorrect.



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== Simple ATM System ==



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1: Check Balance

2: Deposit Money

