

TREATMENT OF CIVIL JURY VERDICTS IN THE ALABAMA SUPREME COURT - 2002

CASE	DATE	COUNTY	VERDICT	DISPOSITION
Lincoln Log Home Enterprises, Inc. v. Autrey, 836 So.2d 804 (Ala. 2002)	02/15/02	Clarke	Breach of contract, breach of implied warranty, negligence, and fraud. Jury verdict of \$505,000 compensatory and \$600,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by See. Houston, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall, and Stuart concur. Moore dissents.
Lathan Roof America, Inc. v. Hairston, 828 So.2d 262 (Ala. 2002)	03/08/02	Mobile	Employers Liability Act. Jury verdict of \$500,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Houston. Moore, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur.
National Ins. Assoc. v. Sockwell, 829 So.2d 111 (Ala. 2002)	03/15/02	Colbert	Bad faith in improperly evaluating, failing to investigate and denying claim for UIM benefits. Jury verdict of \$201,000 compensatory and \$600,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Stuart. Moore, Houston, See, Brown, Johnstone and Harwood concur. Lyons and Woodall, concur in part and dissent in part as to the rationale and concur in the judgment.
City of Birmingham v. Sutherland, 834 So.2d 755 (Ala. 2002)	03/29/02	Jefferson	Negligence, false imprisonment and assault and battery. Jury verdict in the amount of \$115,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Harwood. Moore, See, Brown and Stuart concur.
H.R.H. Metals, Inc. v. Miller, 833 So.2d 18 (Ala. 2002)	04/19/02	Jefferson	Negligence, wantonness, breach of contract and loss of consortium. Jury verdict for Plaintiff in the amount of \$4,562,457 and verdict for Plaintiff's wife in the amount of \$2,125,000.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Woodall. Moore, See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood and Stuart concur. Houston concurs specially.
State Farm Fire & Casualty Co. v. Shady Grove Baptist Church, 838 So.2d 1039 (Ala. 2002)	06/14/02	Walker	Breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$128,800.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Harwood. Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Woodall, and Stuart, JJ., concur. Moore dissents.

Jim Walter Homes, Inc. v. Nicholas, 843 So.2d 133 (Ala. 2002)	06/21/02	Fayette	Negligence, wantonness, fraud, suppression and deceit. Jury verdict of \$50,000 compensatory and \$50,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Per Curiam. See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, and Woodall concur. Houston, Harwood, and Stuart concur in the result. Moore dissents.
Liberty National Life Ins. Co. v. Daugherty, 840 So.2d 152 (Ala. 2002)	07/12/02	Clarke	Defamation, intentional infliction of emotional distress and interference with business relationship. Jury verdict of \$300,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Lyons. Moore, Houston, Johnstone and Woodall concur.
Hornady Truck Line, Inc. v. Meadows, 847 So.2d 908 (Ala. 2002)	08/16/02	Baldwin	Negligence. Multiple plaintiffs. Total compensatory verdict of \$6,250,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Houston. Moore, Lyons, Harwood and Woodall concur.
Byrd, Inc. v. Bentley, 850 So.2d 232 (Ala. 2002)	08/23/02	Jefferson	Fraud and breach of employment contract. Jury verdict of \$1,350,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Harwood. Moore, See, Brown, and Stuart concur.
Serra Chevrolet, Inc. v. Edwards Chevrolet, Inc., 850 So.2d 259 (Ala. 2002)	09/13/02	Jefferson	Motor Vehicle Franchise Act. Jury verdict of \$9,096,000 attorney's fees of \$2,830,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Harwood. Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Woodall, and Stuart concur. Moore and Johnstone concur in part and dissent in part.
Johnson v. Stewart, 854 So.2d 544 (Ala. 2002)	10/18/02	Jefferson	Invasion of privacy. Jury verdict of nominal damages of \$1.00 and punitive damages of \$1,000,000. Trial court ordered remittitur of punitive damages to \$500,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Woodall. Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Harwood, and Stuart concur. Moore and Johnstone dissent.
Wood v. Phillips, 849 So.2d 951 (Ala. 2002)	11/08/02	Mobile	Breach of an oral partnership agreement, breach of fiduciary duties and fraud. Amount of jury verdict not disclosed in opinion.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Per Curiam. Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall, and Stuart concur. Moore dissents.
Alabama Power Co. v. Aldridge, 854 So.2d 554 (Ala. 2002)	12/06/02	Jefferson	Retaliatory discharge. Jury verdict of \$250,000 compensatory and \$250,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Lyons. Houston, See, Brown, Harwood, Woodall, and Stuart concur. Johnstone concurs in part. Moore dissents.

Exxon Corp. v. Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources, 859 So.2d 1096 (Ala. 2002)	12/20/02	Montgomery	Breach of contract and fraud. Jury verdict of \$87.7 million in compensatory and \$3.42 billion in punitive.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Per Curiam. See, Lyons, Brown, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur. Houston concurs in part and dissents in part. Moore and Johnstone dissent.
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Mitchell v. Folmar & Associates, 854 So.2d 1115 (Ala. 2003)	01/10/03	Mobile	Malicious prosecution. Jury verdict of \$51,918 in compensatory and \$103,836 in punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Houston. Moore, Lyons, Johnstone and Woodall concur.
Industrial Technologies v. Jacobs Bank, 872 So.2d 819 (Ala. 2003)	04/25/03	Jackson	Conversion. Jury verdict of \$148,000 compensatory and \$250,000 punitive. Trial court vacated punitive award.	Affirmed in part and reversed and remanded for reinstatement of punitive award. Opinion by Woodall. Moore, See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood and Stuart concur.
ATS, Inc. v. Beddingfield, 878 So.2d 1131 (Ala. 2003)	04/25/03	Jefferson	Negligence and recklessness under Tennessee law. Jury verdict of \$9,500,000 compensatory and \$15,000,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by See. Houston, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur. Moore concurs in the result.
Walmart v. Smitherman, 872 So.2d 833 (Ala. 2003)	05/02/03	Autauga	Negligent and/or wanton supervision, slander and outrageous conduct. Jury verdict of \$100,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Per Curiam. Houston, See, Brown, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur. Lyons concurred in part and concurred in the result in part. Moore and Johnstone concur in part and dissent in part.
Mack Trucks v. Witherspoon, 867 So.2d 307 (Ala. 2003)	05/30/03	Clarke	AEMLD wrongful death. Jury verdict of \$25,000,000.	Affirmed conditionally upon acceptance of remittitur to \$6,000,000. Opinion by Per Curiam. Houston, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood and Woodall concur. Moore concurred in the result. See and Stuart dissent.
Winter Int'l Corp. v. Common Sense, 863 So.2d 1088 (Ala. 2003)	06/09/03	St. Clair	Breach of contract, fraud and conversion. Jury verdict of \$375,565.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Per Curiam. Moore, Houston and Stuart concur. See, Lyons and Woodall concur specially. Johnstone and Woodall dissent.

AL Great So. Railroad v. Johnson, 874 So.2d 517 (Ala. 2003)	06/27/03	Greene	Negligence, wantonness and loss of consortium. Jury verdict of \$750,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Harwood. Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, and Woodall concur. See, Brown and Stuart dissent.
Springhill Hill Hospital v. Dixon, 883 So.2d 159 (Ala. 2003)	06/27/03	Mobile	Medical malpractice. Jury verdict of \$175,000 past compensatory damages, \$62,000 future compensatory damages and \$345,000 punitive damages.	Affirmed without opinion. Per Curiam. Moore, Houston, Lyons, Johnstone, Harwood and Woodall concur. See, Brown and Stuart dissent.
Butler v. Town of Argo, 871 So.2d 1 (Ala. 2003)	06/30/03	Jefferson	Slander and defamation. Jury verdict of \$375,000 compensatory and \$125,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Brown. Moore, Houston, See, Johnstone, Harwood and Stuart concur. Lyons concurs in result.
Waddell & Reed v. United Investors Life Ins. Co., 875 So.2d 1143 (Ala. 2003)	07/03/03	Jefferson	Tortious interference with contract, breach of contract and fraud. Jury verdict of \$50,000,000.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Lyons. Moore, Houston, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur.
Petty-Fitzmaurice v. Steen, 871 So.2d 771 (Ala. 2003)	07/11/03	Elmore	Negligence, wantonness and AEMLD. Jury verdict of \$3,430,000.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Lyons. Houston, See, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall, Stuart concur. Moore dissents.
Tyson Foods v. McCollum, 881 So.2d 976 (Ala. 2003)	09/12/03	Marshall	Retaliatory discharge. Jury verdict for Plaintiff. Damage amount unspecified in opinion.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Houston. See, Brown, Harwood, and Stuart concur. Lyons, Johnstone and Woodall dissent.
Alfa Life Ins. Co. v. Green, 881 So.2d 987 (Ala. 2003)	09/12/03	Bullock	Fraud, suppression, negligent and wanton failure to procure. Jury verdict of \$300,000 compensatory and \$3,000,000 punitive. Trial court remitted punitive to \$900,000.	Reversed and rendered for entry of JML. Opinion by Per Curiam. Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur.
Akins Funeral Home v. Miller, 878 So.2d 267 (Ala. 2003)	09/26/03	Walker	Negligence, wantonness, outrageous conduct and breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$200,000 compensatory and \$150,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Maddox (special justice). Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur.

Eagle Products v. Glasscock, 822 So.2d 280 (Ala. 2003)	10/03/03	Colbert	Breach of contract and fraud. Jury verdict of \$506,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Harwood. See, Lyons, Brown and Stuart concur.
Ex parte Bender Shipbuilding, 879 So.2d 577 (Ala. 2003)	10/3/03	Mobile	Fraud. Jury verdict of \$40,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Lyons. Houston, See, Brown, Harwood and Stuart concur.
East Al. Behavioral Med. Ctr. v. Chancey, 883 So.2d 162 (Ala. 2003)	10/10/03	Montgomery	Alteration of medical records, negligence, wantonness, loss of consortium. Jury verdict \$1,000,000 compensatory and \$495,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Lyons. Houston, See, Johnstone and Woodall concur.
LaFarge Building Materials v. Stribling, 880 So.2d 415 (Ala. 2003)	10/17/03	Chambers	Wanton or malicious destruction of property. Jury verdict of \$500,000 compensatory and \$1,500,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML on count seeking damages for cost of cleanup. New trial on damages. Opinion by Lyons. Houston, See, Brown, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur.
Southern Pine Elec. Coop. v. Birch, 878 So.2d 1120 (Ala. 2003)	10/24/03	Conecuh	Breach of contract and wanton termination of electric service. Jury verdict of \$20,000 compensatory and \$75,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Woodall. Houston, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood and Stuart concur. See dissents.
John Deere Const. v. England, 883 So.2d 173 (Ala. 2003)	10/24/03	Perry	Fraud, suppression, negligence and breach of warranties. Jury verdict of \$289,000 compensatory and \$1,500,000 punitive. Trial court remitted punitive to \$867,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Stuart. Houston, See, Brown and Woodall concur. Lyons and Harwood dissent.
Coca-Cola Bottling v. Hollander, 885 So.2d 125 (Ala. 2003)	10/31/03	Lauderdale	Retaliatory discharge. Jury verdict of \$150,000 compensatory and \$250,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Per Curiam. Houston, See and Brown concur. Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur in the result. Lyons dissents.
Mobile Infirmary v. Hodgen, 884 So. 2d 801 (Ala. 2003)	10/31/03	Mobile	Medical malpractice. Jury verdict of \$-0- compensatory and \$2,250,000 punitive.	Affirmed conditionally upon acceptance of remittitur to punitive damages to \$1,500,000. Opinion by Per Curiam. Houston, See, Brown and Stuart concur. Lyons concurs specially. Johnstone concurs in part and dissents in part.

Harrelson v. R.J., 882 So.2d 317 (Ala. 2003)	11/07/03	Conecuh	Assault, battery and outrageous conduct. Jury verdict of \$15,000 compensatory and \$75,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Brown. Houston, See, Harwood and Stuart concur.
Conference America v. Telecommunications Coop. Network, 885 So.2d 772 (Ala. 2003)	11/21/03	Montgomery	Fraud and breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$1,007,499.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Houston. See, Brown and Stuart concur. Lyons, Harwood and Woodall concur in the result.
GMC v. Jernigan, 883 So.2d 646 (Ala. 2003)	12/12/03	Bullock	Products liability. Jury verdict of \$22,000,000 compensatory and \$100,000,000 punitive. Trial court remitted punitive to \$60,000,000.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Lyons. Harwood and Woodall concur. Johnstone concurs in result. See, Brown and Stuart dissent.
Dolencorp v. Hall, 890 So.2d 98 (Ala. 2003)	12/19/03	Marengo	Negligence. \$100,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Brown. See, Johnstone, Harwood and Stuart concur.
DCH Healthcare v. Duckworth, 883 So.2d 1214 (Ala. 2003)	12/19/03	Tuscaloosa	Wrongful death medical malpractice. \$350,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Woodall. Houston, Lyons, Brown and Johnstone concur.
Breaux v. Thurston, 888 So.2d 1208 (Ala. 2003)	12/30/03	Jefferson	Medical malpractice. \$300,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Harwood. Houston, Lyons, Brown, Woodall and Stuart concur. See concurs specially. Johnstone dissents.
Shiv-Ram v. McCaleb, 892 So.2d 299 (Ala. 2003)	12/30/03	Calhoun	Negligence, wantonness and breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$176,572 compensatory and \$500,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Harwood. Lyons, Wood and Gordon (special justice) concur. Houston, See, Brown and Stuart dissent.

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Liberty National Life Ins. Co. v. Ingram, 887 So.2d 222 (Ala. 2004)	02/20/04	Chambers	Fraud, suppression, bad faith and breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$200,000 compensatory and \$3,000,000 punitive. Remitted by trial court to \$60,000 compensatory and \$180,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by See. Lyons, Brown and Stuart concur.
Delta Health Group v. Stafford, 887 So.2d 887 (Ala. 2004)	03/05/04	Choctaw	Defamation and fraud. Jury verdict of \$200,000 compensatory and \$200,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Stuart. See, Brown, Johnstone and Harwood concur.
State Farm v. Nix, 888 So.2d 489 (Ala. 2004)	03/12/04	Barbour	Fraud and negligent failure to procure insurance. Jury verdict of \$15,325 compensatory and \$200,000 punitive. Punitive remitted by trial court to \$76,627.	Affirmed compensatory award and reversed punitive award. Opinion by Woodall. Houston, Lyons, Johnstone and Harwood concur.
Hunt Petroleum v. State, 901 So.2d 1 (Ala. 2004)	04/30/04	Mobile	Fraud. Jury verdict of \$3,403,200 in compensatory and \$20,000,000 in punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by See. Brown, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur. Johnstone dissents.
Brackin v. Trimmier Law Firm, 897 So.2d 207 (Ala. 2004)	05/04/04	Morgan	Defamation. Jury verdict of \$800,000 compensatory and \$200,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Stuart. Brown, Harwood and Woodall concur. Johnstone concurs in part.
Regions Bank v. Plott, 897 So.2d 239 (Ala. 2004)	06/25/04	Jefferson - Bessemer	Intrusion of seclusion and false light. Jury verdicts of \$70,000 and \$15,000 compensatory damages.	Affirmed in part and reversed in part. Opinion by Woodall. Lyons, Brown, Harwood and Stuart concur. Johnstone dissents.
Thompson Properties v. Birmingham Hide & Tallow, 897 So.2d 248 (Ala. 2004)	07/09/04	Jefferson	Fraudulent transfer. \$194,000 jury verdict.	Affirmed. Opinion by Harwood. Houston, Brown and Stuart concur. Johnstone concurs in part.
New Addition Club v. Vaughn, 903 So.2d 68 (Ala. 2004)	07/16/04	Greene	Negligence and dram shop. \$240,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by See. Nabers, Brown, Harwood and Stuart concur. Houston, Lyons and Woodall concur in part and dissent in part.

Tom's Foods v. Carn, 896 So.2d 443 (Ala. 2004)	08/20/04	Houston	Tortious interference with contract. Verdict of \$500,000 compensatory and \$4,000,000 punitive. Trial court remitted punitive to \$750,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Stuart. Nabers, See, Brown and Houston concur.
Alabama Power Co. v. Moore, 899 So.2d 975 (Ala. 2004)	09/03/04	Bullock	Negligence. Jury verdict of \$1,000,000 compensatory and \$2,000,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Woodall. Nabers, Houston, See, Lyons, Harwood and Stuart concur. Johnstone dissents.
Nationwide Mutual Ins. v. Pabon, 903 So.2d 759 (Ala. 2004)	10/22/04	Jefferson	Breach of contract. \$365,300 jury verdict. Trial court remitted to \$294,135.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Stuart. Nabers, Houston, See, Lyons, Brown and Harwood concur. Johnstone dissents.
Patterson v. Liberty National Life Ins. Co., 903 So.2d 769 (Ala. 2004)	10/29/04	Etowah	Breach of contract. Defense verdict.	Reversed and remanded for entry of judgment in Plaintiff's favor in the amount of \$50,000. Opinion by Lyons. Houston, See, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur. Nabers dissents.
George H. Lanier Memorial Hospital v. Andrews, 901 So.2d 714 (Ala. 2004)	11/19/04	Chambers	Medical malpractice. \$200,000 jury verdict.	Affirmed. Opinion by Harwood. Nabers, Johnstone and Stuart concur. See concurs specially.
Continental Casualty Co. v. Plantation Pipe, 902 So.2d 36 (Ala. 2004)	11/24/04	Mobile	Breach of contract. \$2,912,043 jury verdict.	Affirmed. Opinion by See. Nabers, Brown, Harwood and Stuart concur.
Houserman v. Garrett, 902 So.2d 670 (Ala. 2004)	12/10/04	Jefferson	Medical malpractice. \$200,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Nabers. Brown, Harwood and Stuart concur. See concurs specially.
Flint Construction v. Hall, 904 So.2d 236 (Ala. 2004)	12/30/04	Pickens	Retaliatory discharge. Jury verdict of \$400,000 compensatory and \$200,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Lyons. Houston, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur. See dissents.

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Alfa Life Ins. Corp. v. Jackson, 906 So.2d 143 (Ala. 2005)	01/07/05	Barbour	Fraud and breach of contract. \$5,500,000 jury verdict. Verdict reduced by Court to \$400,000 on original submission.	Reversed and rendered on rehearing as to fraud claim. New trial on breach of contract claim. Opinion by Johnstone. Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Harwood, Woodall and Stuart concur.
Lloyd Noland Hospital v. Durham, 906 So.2d 157 (Ala. 2005)	01/07/05	Jefferson - Bessemer	Medical malpractice. \$765,920 jury verdict.	Affirmed. Opinion by Per Curiam. Nabers, Houston, See, Lyons, Brown, Johnstone, Harwood and Stuart concur.
Ferguson v. Baptist Health System, 910 So.2d 85 (Ala. 2005)	02/11/05	Jefferson	Medical malpractice. \$1,000,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Harwood. Nabers, Harwood, Stuart and Bolin concur.
Keibler-Thompson v. Steading, 907 So.2d 435 (Ala. 2005)	02/11/05	Jefferson - Bessemer	Negligence. \$500,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by See. Nabers, Harwood, Stuart and Bolin concur.
Riscorp v. Norman, 915 So.2d 1142 (Ala. 2005)	03/18/05	Lowndes	Breach of contract and conversion. \$3,000,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded. Opinion by Woodall. Nabers, Lyons, Smith and Parker concur.
Morgan Keegan v. Cunningham, 918 So.2d 897 (Ala. 2005)	05/20/05	Jefferson	Fraud, conversion and breach of contract. \$10,000 compensatory and \$50,000 punitive.	Compensatory award affirmed; punitive damage award reversed and rendered. Opinion by Woodall. Nabers, See, Lyons and Parker concur.
Fox Alarm Co. v. Wadsworth, 913 So.2d 1070 (Ala. 2005)	05/27/05	Bibb	Negligence, wantonness and breach of contract. \$200,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for trial court to enter judgment in the amount of \$250 based on limitation of liability clause. Opinion by See. Nabers, Houston, Brown and Stuart concur. Lyons, Johnstone, Harwood and Woodall concur in part and dissent in part.
Tenn Tom Building v. Olen Nicholas & Copeland, 908 So.2d 230 (Ala. 2005)	06/03/05	Mobile	Negligence. \$518,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Woodall. Nabers, See, Harwood, Stuart, Smith, Bolin and Parker concur.

Webb Wheel v. Hanvey, 922 So.2d 865 (Ala. 2005)	06/03/05	Cullman	Retaliatory discharge. \$480,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and rendered for entry of JML. Opinion by Per Curiam. Nabers, See, Stewart, Smith and Bolin concur. Lyons, Harwood, Woodall and Parker dissent.
Parker Building v. Lightsey, 925 So.2d 927 (Ala. 2005)	06/17/05	Jefferson	Negligence. \$1,600,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by See. Nabers, Harwood, Stuart and Bolin concur.
AmSouth v. Tice, 923 So.2d 1060 (Ala. 2005)	07/01/05	Baldwin	Negligence, wantonness, wrongful dishonor and wrongful payment of checks. \$342,206 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial only on UCC claims. Opinion by Stuart. Nabers, See, Harwood, Smith and Bolin concur. Lyons, Woodall and Parker concur in the result.
Southtrust v. Donely, 925 So.2d 934 (Ala. 2005)	07/15/05	Covington	Conversion and breach of contract. \$176,090 jury verdict.	Reversed and rendered as to conversion claim; affirmed as to \$51,090 breach of contract claim. Opinion by See. Nabers, Harwood, Stuart and Bolin concur.
Black v. Comer, 920 So.2d 1083 (Ala. 2005)	07/15/05	Calhoun	Medical malpractice. \$150,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Harwood. Nabers, See, Stuart and Bolin concur.
City of Crossville v. Haynes, 925 So.2d 944 (Ala. 2005)	08/12/05	DeKalb	Wrongful death. \$550,000 jury verdict. Remitted by trial court to \$100,000.	Reversed and remanded for trial court to enter JML. Opinion by Stuart. Nabers, See, Harwood and Bolin concur.
State Farm v. Williams, 926 So.2d 1008 (Ala. 2005)	08/19/05	Talladega	Breach of contract. \$94,600 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Bolin. Nabers, See, Harwood and Stuart concur.
Freightliner v. Whatley Contract Carriers, 932 So.2d 883 (Ala. 2005)	10/21/05	Montgomery	Fraud, breach of contract, breach of warranty and negligence. \$440,000 compensatory verdict and \$750,000 punitive damage verdict.	Reversed and remanded for trial court to enter JML. Opinion by Stuart. Nabers, See, Harwood and Bolin concur.
Zanaty v. Williams, 935 So.2d 1163 (Ala. 2005)	11/18/05	Jefferson	Negligence. \$104,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by See. Nabers, Stuart and Bolin concur. Harwood concurs in the result.

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Bailey v. Faulkner, 940 So.2d 247 (Ala. 2006)	01/06/06	Montgomery	Alienation of affections. \$1,617,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Woodall. Harwood, Smith, Bolin, Nabers, See, Lyons, Stuart and Parker concur.
Cochran v. Ward, 935 So.2d 1169 (Ala. 2006)	01/27/06	Elmore	Fraud. \$350,000 jury verdict.	Affirmed. Opinion by Lyons. Nabers, Woodall, Smith and Parker concur.
Ware v. Timmons, 954 So.2d 545 (Ala. 2006)	05/05/06	Montgomery	Medical malpractice. \$13,700,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by See. Stuart, Smith, Bolin and Thompson concur. Lyons, Harwood and Parker dissent.
Tolar Construction v. Kean Electric, 944 So.2d 138 (Ala. 2006)	05/19/06	DeKalb	Breach of contract. \$88,000 jury verdict.	Affirmed. Opinion by Harwood. Nabers, See, Stuart and Bolin affirmed.
Davis v. Hanson Aggregates SE, 952 So.2d 330 (Ala. 2006)	06/09/06	Lee	Nuisance and trespass. Unknown jury verdict for five plaintiffs.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Nabers. Lyons, Harwood, Woodall, Stuart, Smith, Bolin and Parker.
State Farm v. Alexander, 950 So.2d 267 (Ala. 2006)	07/21/06	Jefferson	Fraud. \$200,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for JML. Opinion by Stuart. Nabers, See, Lyons, Harwood, Woodall, Smith, Bolin and Parker concur.
Beiersdoerfer v. Hilb, Rogal & Hamilton, 953 So.2d 1196 (Ala. 2006)	09/22/06	Jefferson	Breach of contract and fraud. \$1,250,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Per Curiam. See, Lyons, Harwood, Smith, Bolin and Parker concur.

Systrends v. Group 8760, 959 So.2d 1052 (Ala. 2006)	10/13/06	Jefferson	Alabama Trade Secrets Act and breach of fiduciary duty. Jury verdicts of \$19,500,000 and \$7,552,500.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Harwood. Nabers, See, Lyons, Stuart, Smith, Bolin and Parker concur.
Jones Food Co. v. Shipman, 981 So.2d 355 (Ala. 2006)	12/15/06	Etowah	Premises liability. \$300,000 jury verdict.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Nabers. Lyons, Woodall, Smith and Parker concur.

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Edwards v. Allied Home Mortgage Capital, 962 So.2d 194 (Ala. 2007)	01/12/07	Jefferson	Conversion, breach of fiduciary duty, fraud and suppression. Jury verdict of \$513,972.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Nabers. See, Harwood, Stuart and Bolin concur.
City of Birmingham v. Brown, 969 So.2d 910 (Ala. 2007)	02/23/07	Jefferson - Bessemer	Trespass, nuisance, negligent design and construction of drainage system, willful and wanton design of drainage system. Jury verdict of \$100,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Stuart. Cobb, See, Lyons, Woodall, Smith, Bolin, Parker and Murdock concur.
Price v. Ragland, 966 So.2d 246 (Ala. 2007)	03/16/07	Madison	Legal malpractice. Jury verdict of \$400,000 compensatory and \$700,000 punitive. Trial court remitted punitive award to -0-.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Bolin. Lyons, Woodall, Stuart, Smith, Parker and Murdock concur. Cobb and See concur in the result.
H&S Homes v. McDonald, 978 So.2d 692 (Ala. 2007)	07/06/07	Montgomery	Fraud, conversion and wantonness. Jury verdict of \$40,000 compensatory and \$400,000 punitive.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Per Curiam. See, Lyons, Woodall, Stuart, Smith, Bolin and Parker concur. Cobb and Murdock dissent.
Long v. Wade, 980 So.2d 378 (Ala. 2007)	08/31/07	Mobile	Medical malpractice personal injury and wrongful death. Jury verdict of \$3,850,000 compensatory.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Woodall. See, Lyons, Stuart, Smith, Bolin and Parker concur. Cobb and Murdock concur in the result.
Mobile Infirmary v. Tyler, 981 So.2d 1077 (Ala. 2007)	09/14/07	Mobile	Medical malpractice wrongful death. Jury verdict of \$5,500,000	Affirmed conditionally upon acceptance of remittitur to \$3,000,000. Opinion by Smith. See, Stuart, Bolin and Parker concur. Cobb, Lyons, Woodall and Murdock concur in part and dissent in part.

Exxon Mobil v. Ala. Dept. of Conservation, 986 So.2d 1093 (Ala. 2007)	11/01/07	Montgomery	Breach of contract and fraud. Jury verdict of \$100 million compensatory and \$11.8 billion punitive. Trial court remitted punitive to \$3.5 billion.	Affirmed in part as to contract claim but in the amount of \$51,907,634 and reversed and remanded for entry of JML on fraud claim. Opinion by Parker. Woodall and Stuart concur. Smith and Bolin concur specially. See and Lyons concur in part and concur in the result in part. Murdock concurs in the result. Cobb concurs in part and dissents in part.
International Paper v. Madison Oslin, Inc., 985 So.2d 879 (Ala. 2007)	11/09/07	Jefferson	Breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$8,900,000.	Affirmed in part and reversed and remanded in part for recalculation of damages. Opinion by Parker. Cobb, Smith, and Bolin concur in the result. Lyons, Woodall, Stuart and Murdock dissent.
Blue Circle Cement v. Phillips, 989 So.2d 1025 (Ala. 2007)	11/30/07	Chambers	Retaliatory discharge. Jury verdict of \$200,000 compensatory and \$2,000,000 punitive. Trial court remitted punitive to \$800,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Stuart. Smith, Bolin and Parker concur. See concurs specially. Murdock concurs in the result. Cobb, Lyons and Woodall dissent.
Carraway Methodist v. Wise, 986 So.2d 387 (Ala. 2007)	11/30/07	Jefferson	Breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$1,500,000 compensatory damages and \$500,000 mental anguish.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Lyons. See, Wood, Stuart, Smith and Parker concur. Cobb and Bolin concur in part and dissent in part. Murdock concurs in part, dissents in part and concurs in the result in part.

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Slack v. Stream, 988 So.2d 516 (Ala. 2008)	01/18/08	Jefferson	Defamation, invasion of privacy and intentional interference with business contract. Jury verdict of \$210,000 compensatory and \$450,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Cobb. See, Lyons, Woodall and Parker concur.
Baldwin Co. Elec. Membership Coop. v. City of Fairhope, 999 So.2d 448 (Ala. 2008)	02/01/08	Baldwin	Wrongful supplying of electricity. Jury verdict of \$295,945.	Affirmed. Opinion by See. Cobb, Woodall, Smith and Parker concur.
Springhill Hospital v. Larrimore, 5 So.3d 513 (Ala. 2008)	02/09/08	Mobile	Negligence and wrongful death. Jury verdict of \$4,000,000.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by See. Cobb, Lyons, Woodall, Stuart, Smith, Bolin, Parker and Murdock concur.
Classroomdirect.com v. Draphix, 992 So.2d 692 (Ala. 2008)	04/25/08	Jefferson	Lanham Act, fraud, intentional interference with employment relations. Jury verdict of \$444,758.	Affirmed. Opinion by Lyons. Cobb, See, Stuart, Smith, Parker and Murdock concur.
Southeastern Environmental Infrastructure v. Rivers, 12 So.2d 32 (Ala. 2008)	06/27/08	Jefferson	Negligence and wantonness. Jury verdict of \$1,100,000 compensatory and \$400,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Smith. Cobb, See, Woodall and Parker concur.
AmerUs Life v. Smith, 5 So.3d 1200 (Ala. 2008)	09/19/08	St. Clair	Fraud and breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$2,500,000 compensatory and \$4,000,000 punitive.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Lyons. See, Stuart, Smith, Bolin, Parker concur. Murdock concurs in the result. Cobb dissents.
City of Birmingham v. Major, 9 So.3d 470 (Ala. 2008)	11/21/08	Jefferson	Civil rights. Jury verdict of \$500,000.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by See. Cobb, Woodall, Smith and Parker concur.

Prattville Memorial Chapel v. Parker, 10 So.3d 546 (Ala. 2008)	12/05/08	Autauga	Breach of contract and fraud. Jury verdict of \$30,000 compensatory for breach of contract claim, \$50,000 compensatory for fraud claim and \$1,000,000 in punitive damages.	Reversed and rendered in part and affirmed in part; affirmed as to breach of contract verdict. Opinion by Lyons. See, Woodall, Stuart, Smith, Bolin and Parker concur. Murdock concurs in part and concurs in the result in part.
Southland Bank v. A&A Drywall, 21 So.3d 1196 (Ala. 2008)	12/12/08	Houston	Breach of contract, fraud and negligence. Jury verdict of \$2,100,000 compensatory and \$5,505,000 punitive.	Reversed and rendered for entry of JML. Opinion by Smith. See, Lyons, Woodall, Stuart, Bolin and Parker concur. Cobb and Murdock concur in the result.

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Crutcher v. Williams, 12 So.3d 631 (Ala. 2009)	01/09/09	Sumter	Medical malpractice. Jury verdict of \$145,000	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Cobb. See, Woodall, Smith and Parker concur.
Mobile Gas Corp. v. Robinson, 20 So.3d 770 (Ala. 2009)	01/30/09	Mobile	Wrongful death and personal injury. Total jury verdict \$3,450,000	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Woodall. Stuart, Bolin and Parker concur. Smith concurs in the result. Murdock concurs in part and dissents in part.
Cooks Pest Control v. Rebar, 28 So.3d 716 (Ala. 2009)	02/20/09	Jefferson	Fraud, suppression, negligence, negligence per se, breach of contract, and negligent misrepresentation. Jury verdict of \$100,000 compensatory and \$3,000,000 punitive. Punitive reduced by trial court to \$500,000.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Cobb. Lyons, Stuart, Smith, Bolin, Parker and Shaw concur. Murdock dissents.
Line v. Ventura, 38 So.3d 1 (Ala. 2009)	05/22/09	Marshall	Breach of fiduciary duty. Jury verdict of \$200,000 compensatory and \$550,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Cobb. Woodall, Smith, Parker and Shaw concur.
Dolencorp v. Taylor, 28 So.3d 737 (Ala. 2009)	06/12/09	Clarke	Premises liability. Jury verdict of \$255,000.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Smith. Woodall, Stuart, Bolin, Parker, Murdock and Shaw concur. Cobb dissents.
Mobile OB-GYN v. Baggett, 25 So.3d 1129 (Ala. 2009)	06/12/09	Mobile	Medical malpractice wrongful death. Jury verdict of \$5,000,000.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Stuart. Lyons, Woodall, Bolin Parker and Shaw concur. Cobb concurs in part and dissents in part. Murdock concurs in the result in part and dissents in part.
Black v. Comer, 38 So.3d 16 (Ala. 2009)	06/19/09	Calhoun	Medical malpractice. Jury verdict of \$350,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Smith. Cobb, Woodall, Parker and Shaw concur.

Quore v. Bradford Bldg., 25 So.3d 1136 (Ala. 2009)	06/12/09	Jefferson	Breach of contract construction dispute. Jury verdict of \$196,937.	Affirmed. Opinion by Cobb. Lyons, Woodall, Stuart, Smith, Bolin, Parker and Shaw concur. Murdock concurs in the rationale in part and concurs in the result.
Crews v. McLing, 38 So.3d 688 (Ala. 2009)	08/04/09	Elmore	Negligence. Jury verdict of \$67,235.	Affirmed. Opinion by Stuart. Cobb, Lyons, Woodall, Smith, Parker, Murdock and Shaw concur.
Novartis v. State, 41 So.3d 15 (Ala. 2009)	10/16/09	Montgomery	Fraud. Jury verdict of \$33,257,694.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Woodall. Lyons, Stuart, Bolin and Shaw concur. Cobb and Murdock concur in the result. Parker dissents
AstraZeneca v. State, 41 So.3d 15 (Ala. 2009)	10/16/09	Montgomery	Fraud. Jury verdict of \$40,000,00 compensatory and \$175,000,000 punitive. Punitive award reduced by trial court to \$120,000,000.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Woodall. Lyons, Stuart, Bolin and Shaw concur. Cobb and Murdock concur in the result. Parker dissents.
SmithKline v. State, 41 So.3d 15 (Ala. 2009)	10/16/09	Montgomery	Fraud. Jury verdict of \$33,257,694	Reversed and rendered. Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Woodall. Lyons, Stuart, Bolin and Shaw concur. Cobb and Murdock concur in the result. Parker dissents.
Sverdrup v. Robinson, 36 So.3d 34 (Ala. 2009)	10/23/09	Madison	Fraud. Jury verdict of \$78,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Lyons. Cobb, Stuart, Bolin and Murdock concur.

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Arthur v. Bolen, 41 So.3d 745 (Ala. 2010)	01/08/10	Montgomery	Personal injury negligence. Jury verdict of \$150,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Woodall. Cobb, Smith, Parker and Shaw concur.
G.UB.MK Constructors v. Garner, 44 So.3d 479 (Ala. 2010)	01/08/10	Jackson	Negligence. Jury verdict of \$525,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Woodall. Cobb, Smith, Parker and Shaw concur.
CSX Transportation v. Miller, 46 So.3d 434 (Ala. 2010)	03/19/10	Mobile	FELA. Jury verdict of \$450,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Bolin. Cobb, Lyons, Woodall, Stuart, Smith, Parker and Shaw concur. Murdock concurs in the result.
Hartford Ins. v. Reed, 57 So.3d 742 (Ala. 2010)	06/26/10	Mobile	Breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$729,052.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Per Curiam. Cobb, Woodall, Smith, Parker and Shaw concur.
Cheshire v. Putman, 54 So.3d 336 (Ala. 2010)	07/23/10	Walker	Wantonness and negligence. Jury verdict of \$150,000 compensatory and \$1,500,000 punitive.	Reversed punitive award. Opinion by Per Curiam. Cobb, Lyons, Woodall, Stuart, Smith, Bolin, Parker and Shaw concur. Murdock concurs in the result.
Ross v. Rosen-Rager, 67 So.3d 29 (Ala. 2010)	08/27/10	Madison	Trespass and ejectment. Jury verdict of \$13,343.47 compensatory and \$350,000 punitive.	Affirmed; remitted punitive to \$120,000. Opinion by Woodall. Cobb, Lyons, Stuart, Smith, Bolin, Parker and Shaw concur.
Galaxy Cable v. Davis, 58 So.3d 93 (Ala. 2010)	09/10/10	Walker	Negligence and wantonness. Jury verdict of \$30,000 compensatory and \$120,000 punitive.	Affirmed compensatory and reversed punitive. Opinion by Bolin. Cobb, Lyons, Stuart, Smith, Parker and Shaw concur. Woodall concurred in the result. Murdock concurred in the result in part and dissented in part.

Miller v. Bailey, 60 So.3d 857 (Ala. 2010)	09/30/10	Etowah	Medical malpractice. Jury verdict of \$2,000,000.	Affirmed. Opinion by Per Curiam. Cobb, Lyons, Woodall, Smith, Bolin, Parker and Shaw concur. Stuart and Murdock dissent.
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Health Care Authority for Baptist Health v. Davis, 2011 Ala. LEXIS 17 (Ala. 2011)	01/14/11	Montgomery	Medical malpractice wrongful death. Jury verdict of \$3,200,000. Pending on rehearing.	Judgment vacated; appeal dismissed and case dismissed. Opinion by Bolin. Lyons, Woodall, Stuart and Shaw concur. Cobb, Parker and Murdock dissent.
Ford Motor Co. v. Duckett, 70 So.3d 1177 (Ala. 2011)	02/11/11	Etowah	Strict liability design defect and negligence under GA law. Jury verdict of \$8,500,000 compensatory (\$1,521,410 in economic damages; remainder pain and suffering).	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Woodall. Cobb, Bolin, Murdock and Main concur.
Norfolk So. Railway v. Johnson, 75 So.3d 624 (Ala. 2011)	03/11/11	Clarke	Negligence and wantonness. Jury verdict of \$1,500,000 compensatory and \$3,000,000 punitive.	Reversed and remanded for a new trial on Railway's property damage claim. Opinion by Bolin. Woodall, Stuart, Parker, Shaw and Main concur. Murdock concurs in the result. Cobb dissents.
O'Rear v. B.H., 69 So. 3d 106 (Ala. 2011)	03/11/11	Walker	Negligence, wantonness, medical malpractice, assault and outrage. Jury verdict of \$1,000,000 compensatory and \$2,000,000 punitive.	Affirmed. Opinion by Cobb. Woodall, Stuart, Parker, Main and Wise concur. Bolin, Murdock and Shaw concur in the result.
Federal Credit, Inc. v. Fuller, 72 So.3d 5 (Ala. 2011)	04/15/11	Marshall	Defamation. Jury verdict of \$25,000 compensatory and \$35,000 punitive.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Parker. Cobb, Stuart, Shaw and Wise concur.
Nationwide Mutual Ins. Co. v. J-Mar S Machine Pump, 73 So.3d 1248 (Ala. 2011)	06/17/11	Jefferson	Bad Faith failure to pay. Jury verdict of \$416,466.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Parker. Cobb, Stuart, Shaw and Wise concur.
Crestview Funeral Home v. Gilmer, 2011 Ala. LEXIS 135 (Ala. 2011)	08/26/11	Jefferson	Suppression and breach of contract. Jury verdict of \$350,000 compensatory and \$3,000,000 punitive. Trial court remitted punitive to \$1,050,000.	Reversed and remanded for new trial. Opinion by Woodall. Malone, Stuart, Bolin, Parker, Shaw, Main and Wise concur. Murdock concurs in the result.

Lafarge North America v. Nord, 2011 Ala. LEXIS 157 (Ala. 2011)	09/23/11	Perry	Negligence and wantonness. Jury verdict of \$125,000 compensatory and \$75,000 punitive.	Reversed and rendered. Opinion by Parker. Stuart, Bolin, Murdock, Shaw and Wise concur. Malone, Woodall and Main concur in the result in part and dissent in part.
Stephens v. Fines Recycling, 2011 Ala. LEXIS 226 (Ala. 2011)	11/10/11	Talladega	Breach of contract, fraud, conversion; counterclaim for equitable relief. \$438,855 net judgment.	Appeal dismissed from a nonfinal judgment. Opinion by Shaw. Malone, Stuart, Parker and Wise concur.
Springhill Hospitals v. Critopoulos, 2011 Ala. LEXIS 194 (Ala. 2011)	11/18/11	Mobile	Medical malpractice. Jury verdict of \$300,000.	Reversed and remanded for entry of JML. Opinion by Wise. Malone, Stuart, Parker and Shaw concur.
GE Capital Aviation v. Pemco, 2012 Ala. LEXIS 36 (Ala. 2011)	12/02/11	Dale	Plaintiff Pemco asserted claims for breach of contract and fraud; Defendant GE Capital counterclaimed. Verdict for Plaintiff of \$2,147,129 compensatory and \$6,500,000 punitive. Verdict for Plaintiff on counterclaim.	Reversed and remanded for new trial on breach of contract claim. Opinion by Main. Malone, Woodall, Stuart, Bolin, Parker, Shaw and Wise concur. Murdock concurred in the result.

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CASE	DATE	COUNTY	VERDICT	DISPOSITION
Heisz v. Galt Industries, Inc., 2012 Ala. LEXIS 2 (Ala. 2012)	01/06/12	Lee	\$54,684 in Plaintiff Heisz's favor on contract claim; \$720,678 in Plaintiff Galt's favor on contract and fraud claims; \$48,893 in Plaintiff Plath's favor on contract and fraud claims	Reversed and remanded. Opinion by Bolin. Malone, Woodall, Bolin, Shaw, Main and Wise concur. Parker concurs in the result. Murdock dissents.

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