

## The Supreme Court under John Marshall

Court Case	Issues	Outcome	Impact on Federal Gov't
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Marbury v. Madison (1803)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Adams's "Midnight Judges"</li> <li>- Marbury sues for his commission</li> <li>- Can Jefferson deny Marbury his appointment?</li> </ul>	<p>Marbury had the right to his commission according to Judiciary Act 1789. But, this act was unconstitutional...</p>	<p><b>JUDICIAL REVIEW</b> – Supreme court could review and overrule actions by other branches (checks and balances).</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>McCulloch v. Maryland (1819)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Does the government have the right to create a national bank?</li> <li>- Do states have the right to tax institutions of the federal government?</li> </ul>	<p>The national bank was in fact constitutional under the elastic clause. Moreover, states could not tax federal institutions.</p>	<p>The national government has power over the state governments.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Dartmouth College v. Woodward (1819)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Was Dartmouth's charter protected by the Constitution?</li> <li>- Was New Hampshire interfering with the contract?</li> </ul>	<p>Dartmouth College charter was a contract and is protected by the Constitution. New Hampshire must respect this charter.</p>	<p>Prevented state interference in business contracts, thereby giving stability to the economy by encouraging the growth of corporations.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Gibbons v. Ogden (1824)</i></p>	<p>Who has power to regulate navigation, the state or the federal government?</p>	<p>Congress can legislate and regulate all matters of interstate commerce as long as there is some commercial connection with another state.</p>	<p>Established the federal government's right to regulate interstate commerce.</p>