Reconciling Strict Liability with Corrective Justice in Contract Law It does not follow from this that in tort law, distributive justice is logically prior to corrective justice. Because Weinrib thinks that corrective justice and distributive justice are more important to the normative foundation of tort law than distributive justice. This chapter argues that tort law's moral foundation is best explained by the theory of corrective justice. It introduces a justice interpretation of tort law currently in the literature. In his most recent piece – What is Tort Law For? Part 1: The Place of Corrective Justice – Gardner sets out to clarify the concept of corrective justice. It introduces a justice interpretation of tort law currently in the literature.2. Wrongful Life, Wrongful Birth, and Justice in Tort Law. Patrick J. Kelley. Follow this and additional works at: Retributive and Distributive Justice in Tort Law. Joseph C. Vosburg and Christopher H. Schaefer. INTRODUCTION. In an earlier article in this Review, we explored whether corrective justice is more important to the normative foundation of tort law than distributive justice. This chapter argues that tort law's moral foundation is best explained by the theory of corrective justice. It introduces a justice interpretation of tort law currently in the literature.