1012-14-23 Anca M Mustata* (amustata@math.ubc.ca), 507 East Green Street, Champaign, IL 61810, and Dragos Andrei S Mustata (dmustata@math.ubc.ca), 507 East Green Street, Champaign, IL 61810. The Chow ring of moduli spaces of stable maps from rational curves into projective space.

We describe the Chow ring with rational coefficients of the moduli space of degree d stable maps from rational curves with marked points into projective space as an invariant subalgebra of a larger ring with respect to the action of the group of symmetries of d elements. An additive basis for the Chow ring is given. (Received July 25, 2005)