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Florida, 4202 E. Fowler Ave Phy 114, Tampa, FL 33620, and Brian Curtin. The subconstituent
algebra of a Latin square.

We describe the subconstituent algebra $\mathcal{T}(p)$ of the Bose-Mesner algebra of a Latin square with respect to any base point p. We show that $\mathcal{T}(p)$ is isomorphic as an abstract algebra to $\mathbb{M}_5 \oplus \mathbb{M}_6^{n-2} \oplus \mathbb{M}_1^{n^2-6n+7}$, where \mathbb{M}_k denotes the complex algebra of $k \times k$ complex matrices and the exponents give the multiplicity of each summand.

We describe the action on each irreducible $\mathcal{T}(p)$ module in terms of a simple structure of the Latin square. (Received July 31, 2007)