

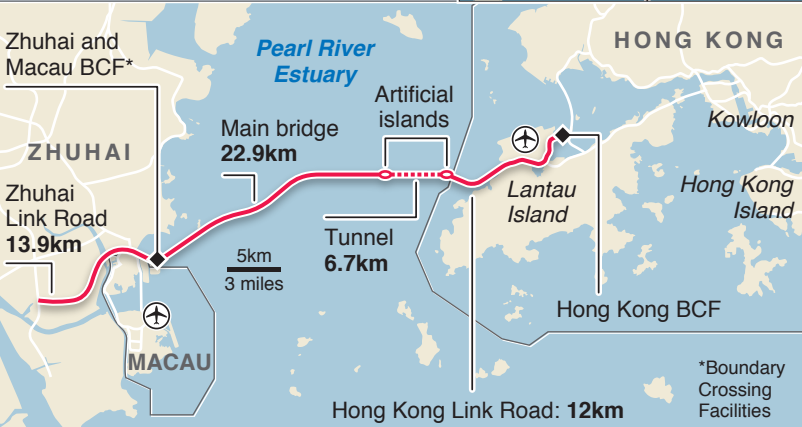
# World's longest sea bridge to open in 2018

The Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macau Bridge, billed as the world's longest cross-sea bridge, is expected to open to traffic in 2018

*Crossing consists of three cable-stayed spans and undersea tunnel*



Overall crossing length	<b>55km</b>
Construction started	<b>Dec 2009</b>
Expected cost	<b>\$15.9bn (110bn yuan)</b>



**Bridge will cut Hong Kong-Zhuhai journey from four hours to 30 minutes**