



## **Dashengguan Bridge—The longest span arch bridge for high-speed railway**

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### **Summary**

The Nanjing Dashengguan Bridge is the control project on the Beijing-Shanghai High-Speed Railway, whose design speed is 300 km/h. The main bridge adopts large span continuous steel arch truss structure with a total length of 1 615 m. The two main spans over main navigation channels of the Yangtze River utilizes steel arch truss 336 m long each. The arches comprise three truss planes above orthotropic deck. Erection of the steel arch truss adopts double cantilever method with auxiliary cables supported by towers on piers.

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### **1. General Introduction**

The Nanjing Dashengguan Bridge is a control project on Beijing-Shanghai High-Speed Railway ( hereafter referred to as Jinghu High-Speed Railway ), it is also the main component part of the Shanghai-Wuhan-Chengdu Railway and the railway system in