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ODI Numbers Searched: 10409875

Make: BMW Model: G 650 GS Year: 2011

Manufacturer: BMW OF NORTH AMERICA, LLC

 Crash: Yes
 Fire: No
 Number of Injuries: 1

 ODI ID Number: 10409875
 Number of Deaths: 0

Date of Failure: June 21, 2011 VIN: WB1018900BZ...

Component: STEERING:WHEEL AND HANDLE BAR

## Summary:

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