

Major League Baseball (MLB) superstar Shohei Ohtani (30, Los Angeles Dodgers) achieved a record of only four players in MLB history at the time of the opening 50 games.

Ohtani started as the second designated hitter at a home game against the Arizona Diamondbacks in the 2024 MLB at Dodger Stadium in Los Angeles, California on the 23rd, and posted one hit in four times at bat. Ohtani increased his hitting record from consecutive games against Cincinnati on the 20th to four games. His batting average for this season fell slightly from 0.356 to 0.354. [토토사이트넷](#)

Ohtani had a hit in his first at-bat. With one out in the first inning, Ohtani pushed left-handed starter Brandon Hughes' first pitch slider at 83.6 miles per hour (about 134.5 kilometers). However, Ohtani failed to advance as third baseman Freddie Freeman struck out a foul fly and Will Smith swung and missed.

He later stepped down as an extra-base hit. With one out and a runner on the second base in the third inning, Ohtani targeted right-handed bullpen pitcher Nelson's fastball, only to hit a grounder to the second base, and with no outs and runners on the first and second bases in the fifth inning, he rolled up Nelson's high cutter to hit a fly ball to the center field. Ohtani, who hit with two outs in the seventh inning, pulled a sinker towards left-handed bullpen Joe Mantiply's body, but failed to produce a hit as his ball rolled toward the first base. Dodgers (33 wins and 19 losses), ranking first in the Western Division, fell to its second straight loss as it suffered 0-6 shutout loss to third-ranked Arizona (24 wins and 26 losses)

The Dodgers lost the game, but Ohtani was found to have set a new big league record by playing his 50th game of the season. Ohtani currently has a batting average of 0.354 with 13 homers and 13 steals. According to her social media (SNS), there are only four players in the past who have recorded a batting average of 0.350, 10 homers and 10 steals or more in 50 games since the opening of the season, and Ohtani is the fifth player in the 124-year history. This means that the record to prove that he is a "super hot hitter" was so difficult.