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Knotty and Nice

A fruit that pretty much disappears for most of the year is back in January, and fans are racing to get their fix. Sumo Citrus is a wrinkly oversize mandarin from Japan named for a knot on top that looks like a sumo wrestler's bun. People in California have been eating the fruit since it was first harvested there in 2011, but Sumos became a national obsession last year when Target and other stores started stocking them—and Instagram star Eva Chen raved about how easy they are to peel. If you plan to get some, move quickly (they'll be gone by May) and prepare to pay: Sumos cost up to \$4 per pound, more than twice as much as regular mandarins!

