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Unveiling Mauna Loa: Earth's Largest Volcano

Short Answer

1. How does the formation of Mauna Loa differ from that of Mount Everest?
2. What role do scientists play in monitoring Mauna Loa's volcanic activity, and why is this monitoring important?
3. Explain the environmental impact of Mauna Loa's eruptions on the Hawaiian Islands.
4. What is the cultural significance of Mauna Loa to the people of Hawaii?
5. Why does Mauna Loa have a broad, gently sloping shape compared to other volcanoes?

