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Ans. Several sports like paragliding, hang gliding, river rafting and skiing are popular in the mountains.

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Ans. Due to harsh climate less people live in the mountain areas. Since the slopes are steep, less land is available for farming.

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Ans. Mauna Kea (Hawaii) in the Pacific Ocean is an undersea mountain. It is higher than Mount Everest being 10,205 metres high.

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Ans. Volcanic Mountains are formed due to volcanic activity. Mt.Kilimanjaro in Africa and Mt.Fujiyama in Japan are examples of such mountains.