Nifty Nines

Think about the phrases and expressions you know that mention NINE or NINTH.

A. Write a word in each blank to correctly complete each sentence or phrase:

1. A cat has nine ___________.
2. A ___________ in time saves nine.
3. I’m so happy, I’m on ___________ nine.
4. Nine ___________ out of ten, people prefer sunshine to rain.
5. Many office workers have a nine-to-___________ job.
6. She attended the formal dance, ___________ to the nines.
7. At the restaurant, he ordered the appetizer, the salad, the dessert and the whole nine ___________.
8. Possession is nine-tenths of the ___________.
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B. Finish these sentences about things that use 9.

9. There are 9 ______________ in regular game of baseball.
10. There are 27 _____________ in 9 yards.
11. In a famous Christmas song, there were 9 ___________ dancing.
12. There are 9 digits in your ___________ ___________ number.
All About Nine – Answers

1. lives
2. stitch
3. cloud
4. times
5. five
6. dressed
7. yards
8. law
9. innings
10. feet
11. ladies
12. Social Security

References

- The idioms can be found at http://idioms.thefreedictionary.com/nine