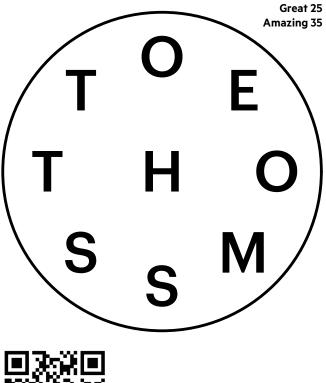
WORD CIRCLE No 71

How many words can you form that use the centre letter plus two or more of the other letters? No letter may be used more times than it appears within the circle. There is one word that uses all nine letters.

Scoring

Good 20





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eir, eirisn, eii, eils, reil, reils, riie, riies, riii, fills, flesh, flies, hells, hill, hills, ill, ills, isle, isles, lei, leis, less, lie, lief, liefs, lies, life, lisle, self, selfish, sell, sells, shelf, shell, **shellfish**, shells, shill, shills, sill, sills