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The screenshot displays the IBM Information Center interface for DB2 Version 9.1 for z/OS. The left sidebar shows a hierarchical 'Contents' view with various topics. The main content area displays the 'Command changes in Version 9' article, including sections for 'New commands in Version 9' and 'Changed commands in Version 9'. The interface includes a search bar at the top, navigation tabs, and various icons for search, print, and navigation. Numbered callouts (1-14) point to specific features described in the adjacent list.

- 1 Perform simple and complex searches.
- 2 Narrow a search by clicking **Search scope** and specifying the topics to search.
- 3 Print the displayed topic or its subtopics.
- 4 Search the displayed topic or its subtopics.
- 5 Collapse the Contents view
- 6 Automatically refresh the Contents view to highlight the topic that is displayed in the Topics view.
- 7 Search within IBM.com.
- 8 Navigate among the topics that you previously viewed.
- 9 Return to the information center home page.
- 10 Synchronize the Topics view and the Contents view so that the displayed topic is highlighted in the Contents view.
- 11 Turn off and on the highlighting that displays in search results.
- 12 Submit feedback about the information.
- 13 Link to the same content in PDF.
- 14 Toggle between the Contents view and the Search Results view.

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