



Peoria, IL

- In the first half of 2007, the Peoria metropolitan area was the 20th largest export market in the U.S., with sales totaling \$5.3 billion.
- The Peoria metropolitan area accounted for 19 percent of Illinois' merchandise exports in the first half of 2007.
- In the first half of 2007, Peoria benefited from existing free trade agreements, exporting \$1.3 billion to Canada and Mexico.
- Twenty-four percent of Peoria's merchandise exports go to NAFTA countries.
- Chemicals products were among the top Peoria export categories for the first half of 2007, accounting for \$75 million, or 1 percent, of exported goods.

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