2. Create sides of the produce tote

Sew the patchwork together using a straight stitch and about a 1/8” seam. This creates the sides of the produce tote. They should measure about 12” x 12”.

Some of the pieces may not line up and you may see one column is longer or shorter than another. Trim the edge so they are approximately the same length.

6. Sew the handle of the produce tote

Pin the two handles onto each inside the tote. Place the handle so it is slightly below the folded hem you just made. Visually check if the handles are lined up and adjust as needed.
Sew the handles onto the bag on top of the previous stiches from

**Coaster Instructions**

**Materials**
- T-shirt sleeves
- Fabric scissors
- Sewing machine and supplies

**Process**

1. **Cut T-shirt Sleeves to make patchwork**
   Cut 5 squares that are 5” x 5”. If you don’t have enough fabric, you can use 5 - 4” x 4” squares instead.

2. **Layout patchwork to make the coaster**
   Place one of the squares flat on the table. This is square #1.
   Fold the other 4 squares in half.
   Take one of the folded squares and place it on top of square #1. Line up the folded squares open side with one of the edges of square #1. Take the other 3 folded squares and consecutively line them up with each new folded square lining up with a new side of square #1. Note: What you see now will be hidden later. This is a great way to hide any small stains.

3. **Sew around the edges.**

4. **Trim all the corners**

5. **Flip the coaster inside out and push corners down.**

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