CORN

- 1. Shuck ears and remove silk.
- 2. Steam blanch ears for 4 minutes, then drain.
- 3. Cut kernels from ears.
- 4. Dry kernels or drained canned corn at 130°F for 8-12 hours or until shriveled and brittle.

Dried corn works well in casseroles, creamed corn, stews, chowders, soups. You can even make your own cornmeal, by using a foodmill or grinder to grind the dried kernels.

To re-hydrate, soak in hot water for about 30 minutes, then simmer until tender.