Empty Container Decision Tree

Chemical waste materials must be handled as hazardous unless they are on the Non-Hazardous Waste List. Used hazardous materials containers are an exception, however. They have their own resource for hazard determinations, which is the Empty Container Decision Tree.

To properly use the Empty Container Decision Tree, the container must be truly empty. Not a drop of liquid, nor any solid residue that could be scraped out, may be present.