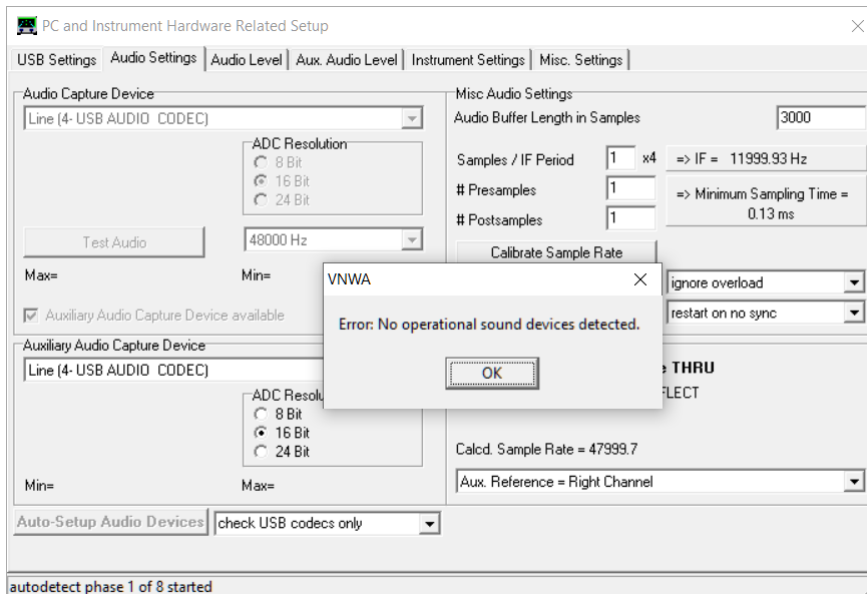


Windows 10 Privacy Settings blocking VNWA USB Sound Codec(s)

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Symptom:

VNWA USB Audio Codecs are visible in VNWA setup, but Auto Audio Setup terminates unsuccessfully:



Possible root causes:

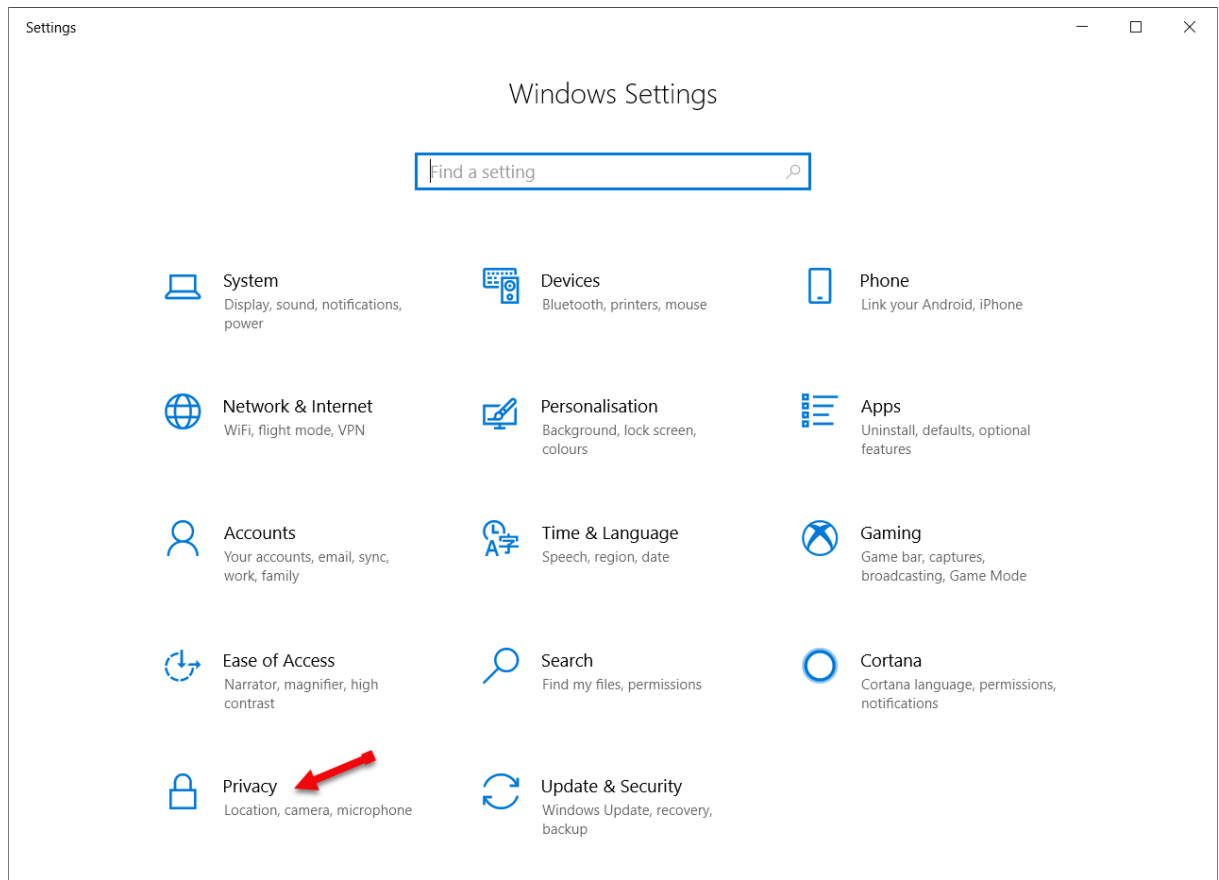
Windows 10 blocks the VNWA sound recording devices by virtue of the microphone privacy settings.

Fix:

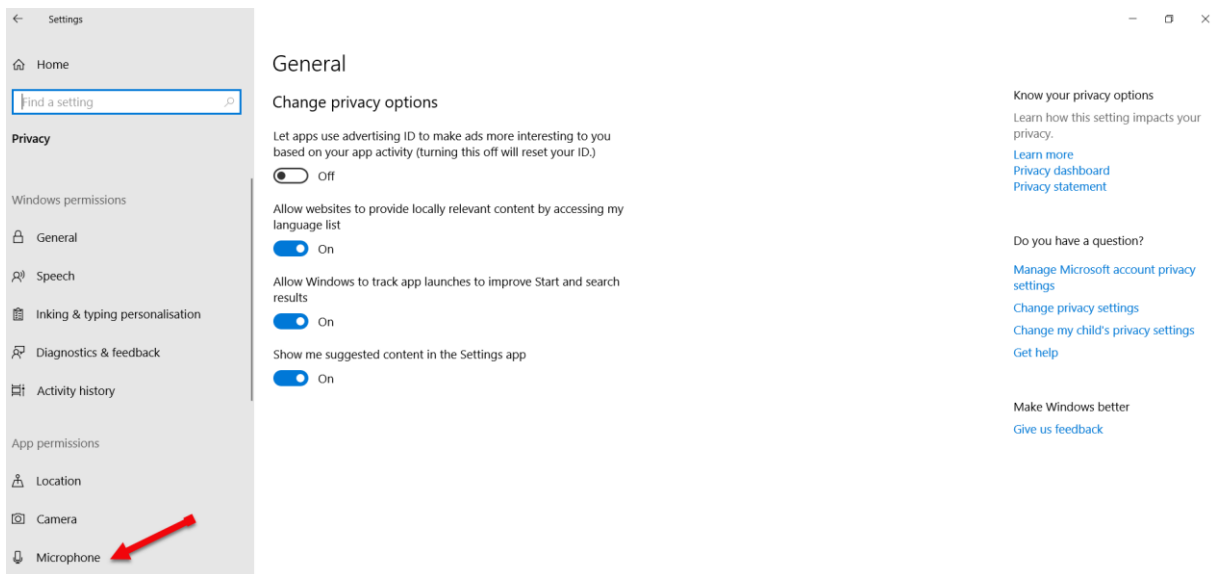
1. Left-click the Windows icon on the lower left and select **Settings**:



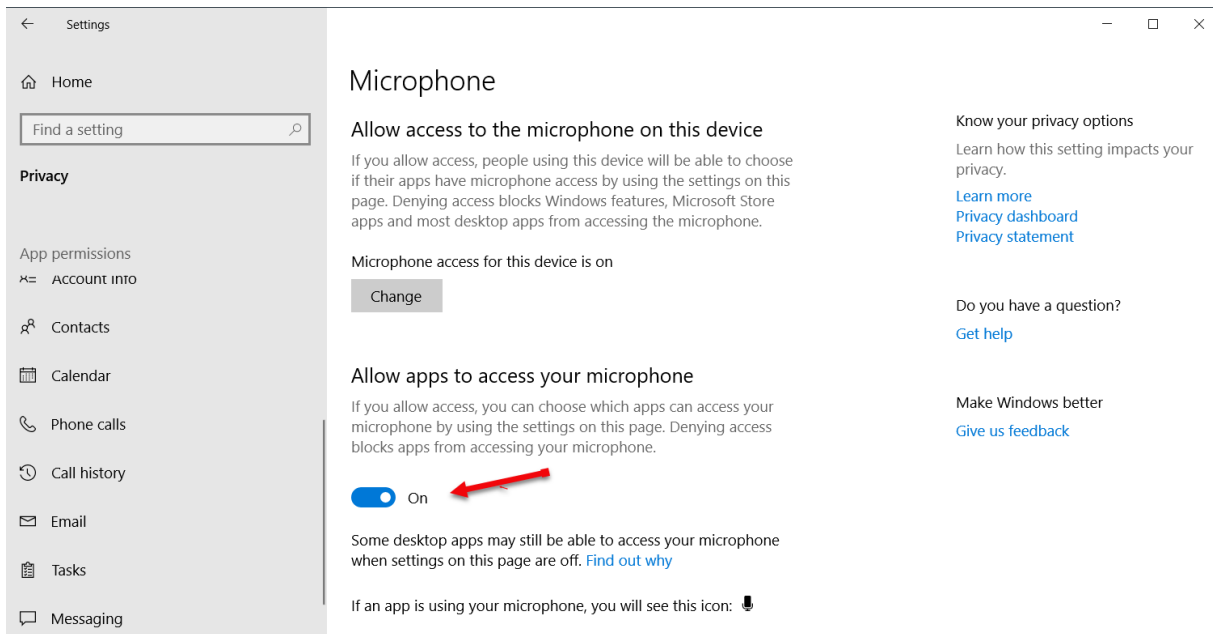
2. Select **Privacy**:



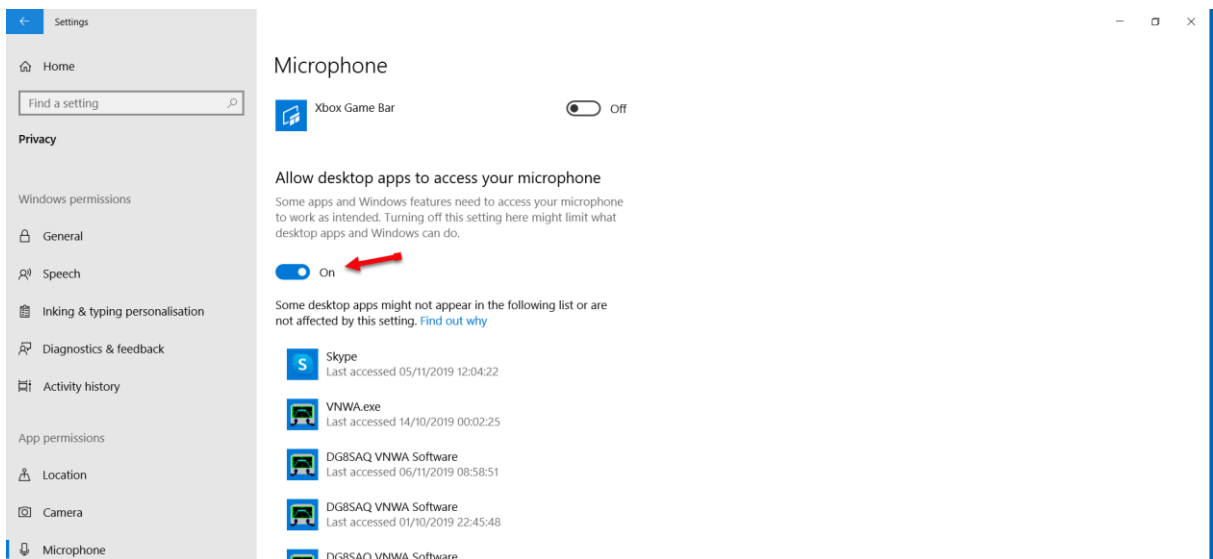
3. Select **Microphone**:



4. Allow apps to access your Microphone:



5. In above windows scroll all the way down and allow desktop apps to access your microphone:



Close the window and restart the VNWA software. Now, VNWA should be able to access the VNWA USB sound chips.

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