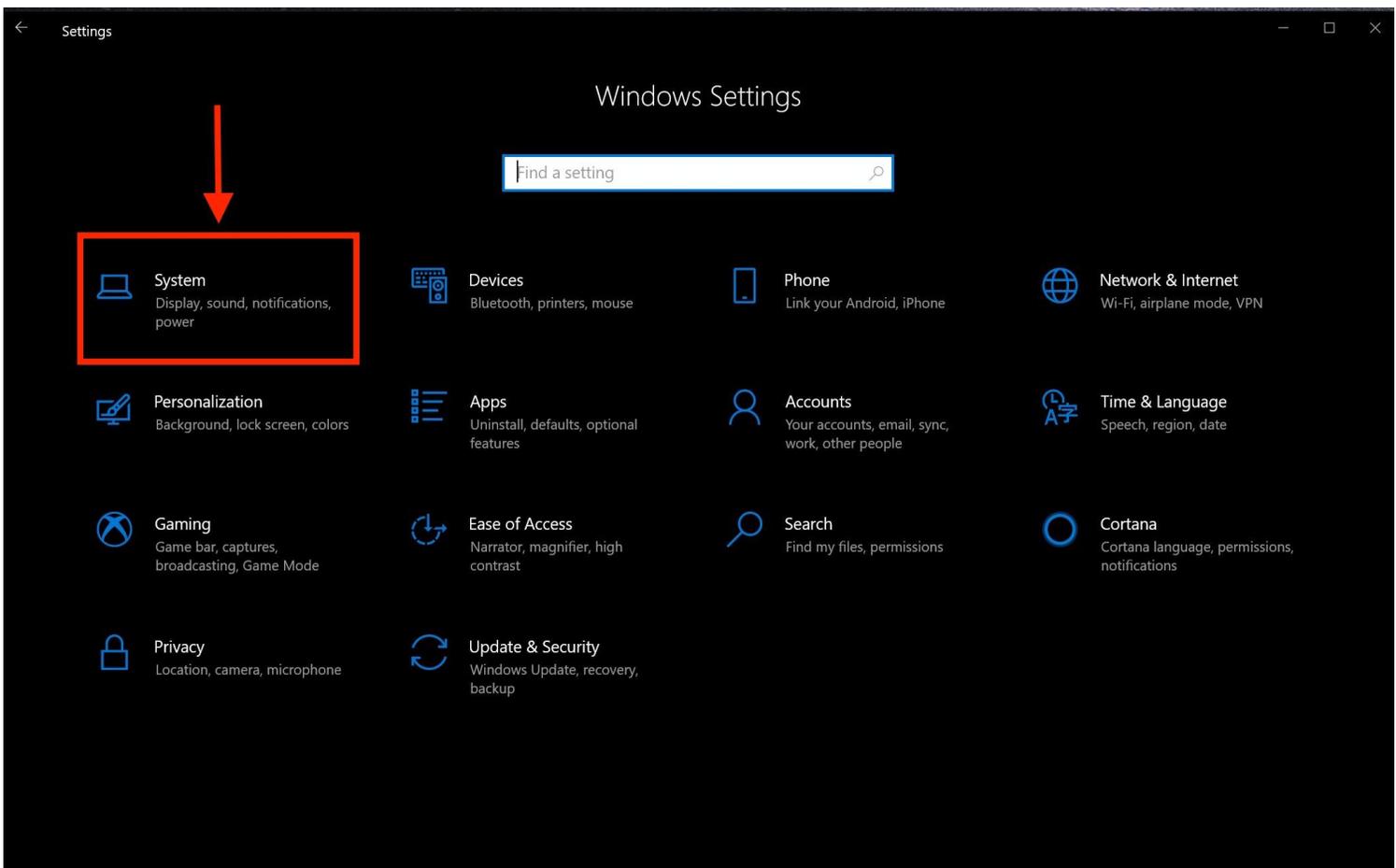


# How To: Raise the Microphone/Input Sound

1. Open **Settings**

2. Click **System**



3. Click **“Sound”**

## 4. Under “Input”, click “Device properties”

The screenshot shows the Windows Settings application. On the left, the 'Settings' sidebar is visible with a search bar and a list of categories. The 'Sound' category is highlighted with a red box and a red arrow pointing to it. The main content area is titled 'Sound' and contains several sections. The 'Device properties' link is highlighted with a red box and a red arrow. Below this, the 'Input' section is also highlighted with a red box, and the 'Device properties' link within it is pointed to by a red arrow. The 'Input' section shows a dropdown menu for 'Choose your input device' set to 'Microphone (Realtek(R) Audio)'. Below this, there is a 'Test your microphone' section with a volume slider and a 'Troubleshoot' button. The 'Device properties' link is located below the 'Input' section.

Settings

Home

Find a setting

System

- Display
- Sound**
- Notifications & actions
- Focus assist
- Power & sleep
- Battery
- Storage
- Tablet mode
- Multitasking
- Projecting to this PC
- Shared experiences
- Clipboard

### Sound

Certain apps may be set up to use different sound devices than the one selected here. Customize app volumes and devices in advanced sound options.

[Device properties](#)

Master volume

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Troubleshoot

[Manage sound devices](#)

### Input

Choose your input device

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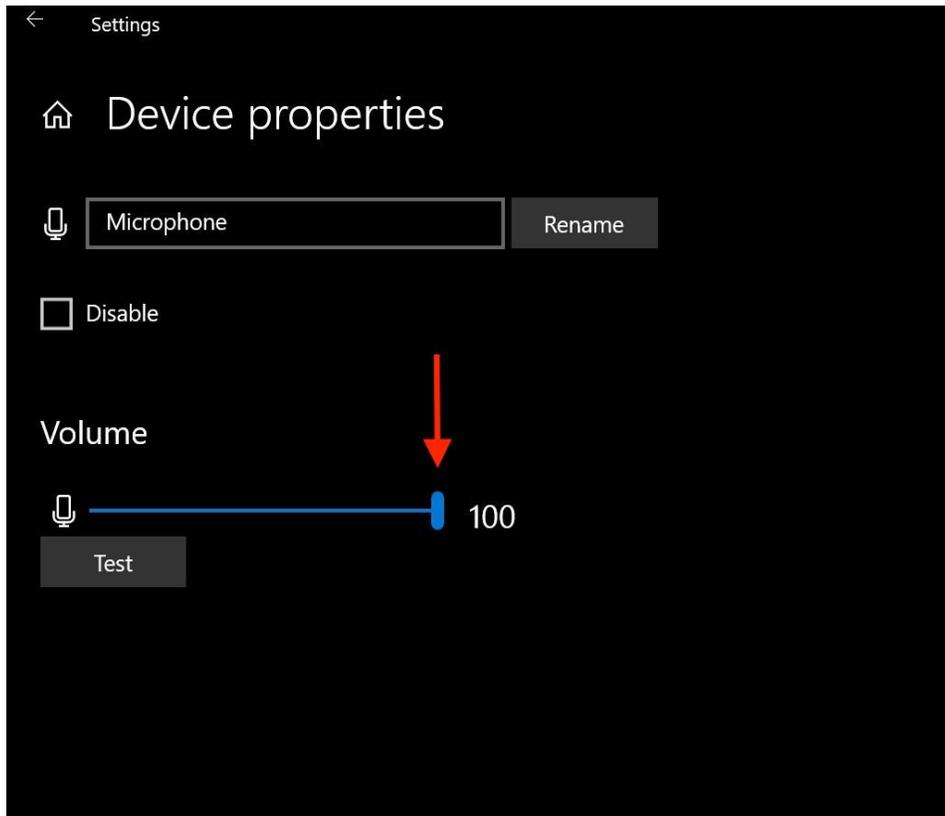
[Device properties](#)

Test your microphone

Troubleshoot

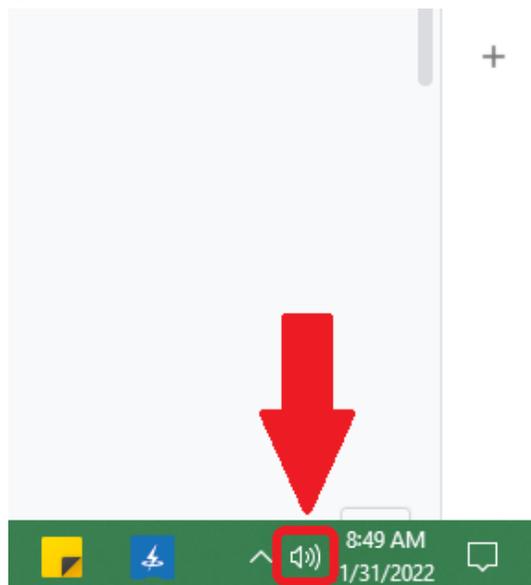
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## 5. Raise the microphone's input volume to desired level



A quicker way to access your **Microphone Settings**:

**Two-finger tap** on the speaker icon in the lower right corner



Doing this will open up a small menu, select **“Open Sound settings”**

