<u>How to disable Microsoft Edge as default PDF reader</u>
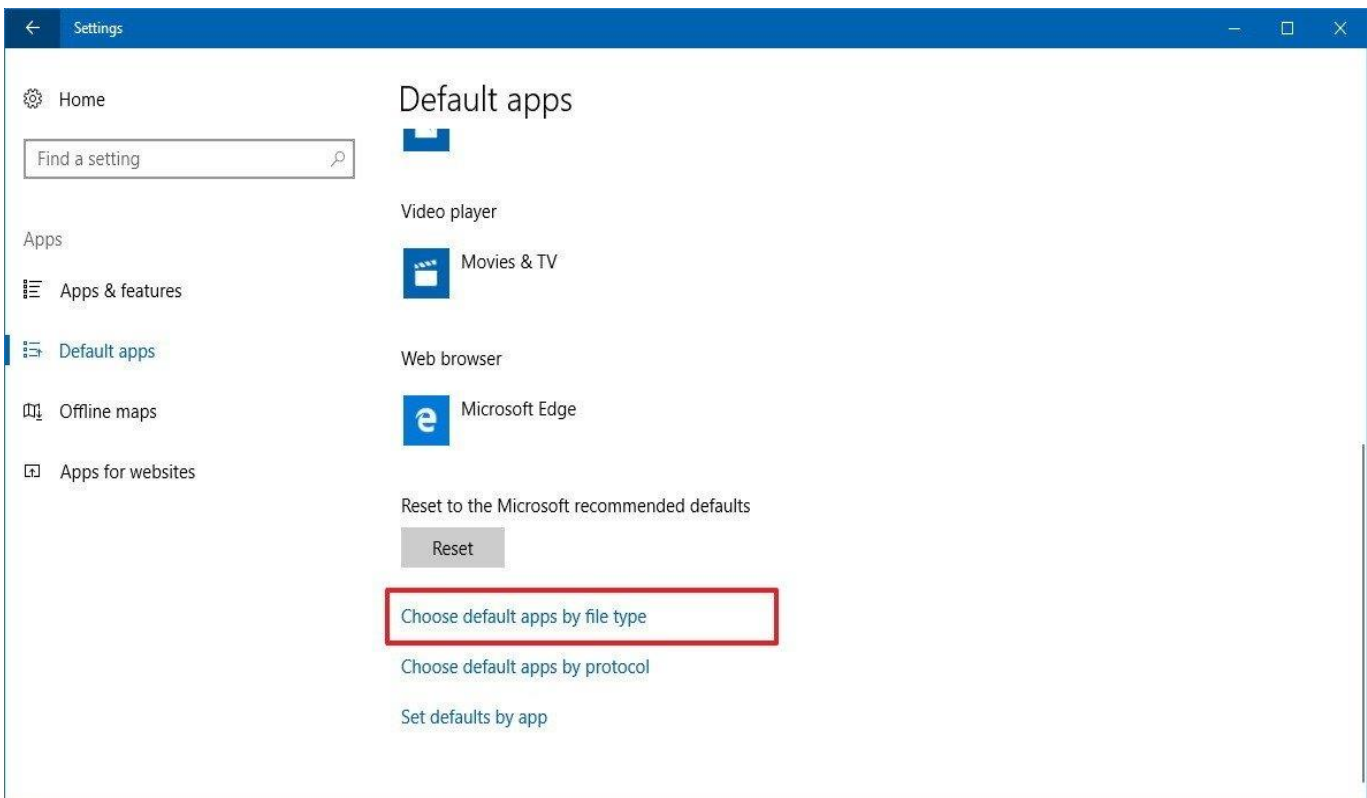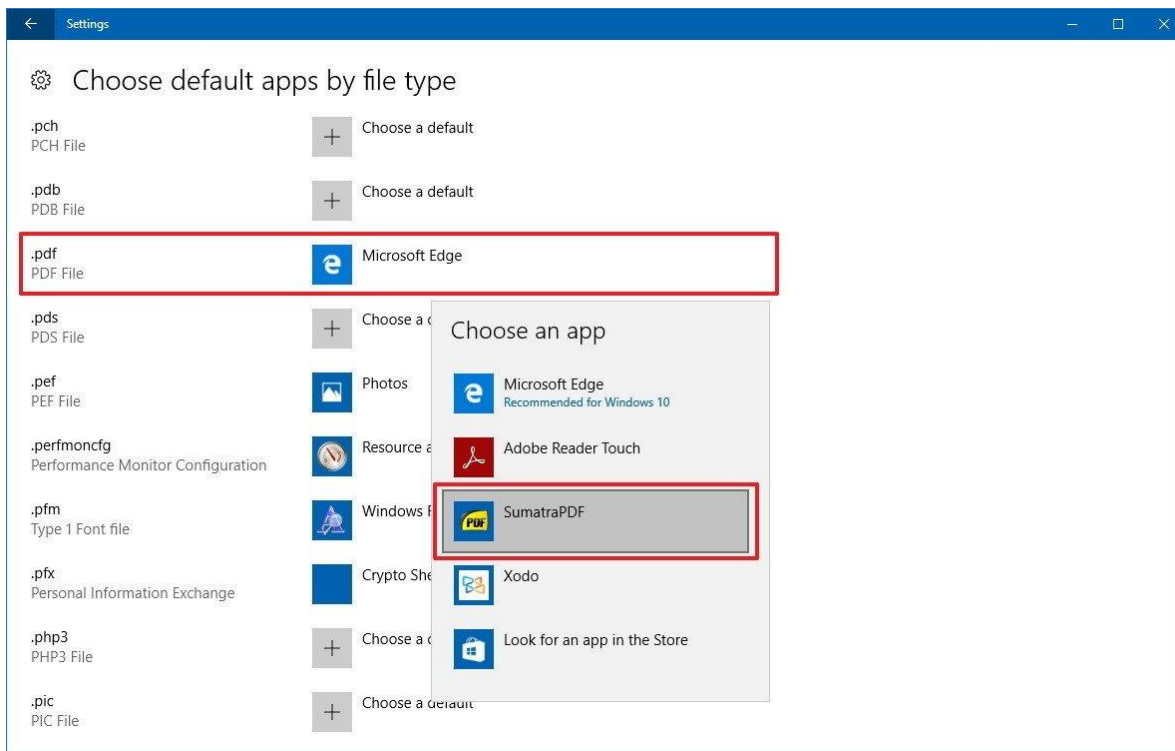
In order to disable Microsoft Edge's PDF feature, you need to change the <u>file</u> association, which you can do with the following steps:

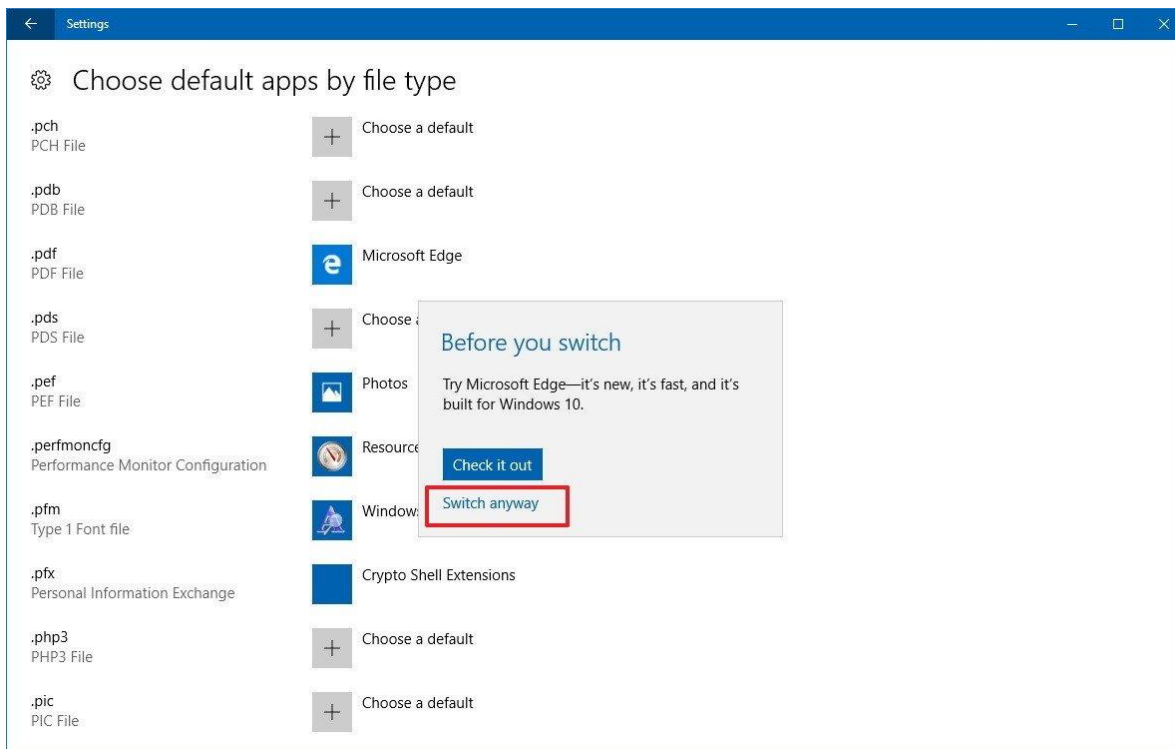**Using the Settings app**

1. Click **Start** button

2. Open **Settings**.

3. Click on **Apps**.

4. Click on **Default apps**.

   - o **Note:** If you're still running the Windows 10 Anniversary Update, the path is **Settings** > **System** > **Default apps**.

5. Click the Choose default <u>apps</u> by file type link.

6. Scroll down and find **.pdf** (PDF File) on left, and click the button on the right side, which is likely to read "Microsoft Edge."

7. Select your app from the list to set it as the new default.

8. Click the **Switch anyway** link to confirm the change.

Once you completed the steps, Microsoft Edge will no longer open PDF files by default in the web browser.