

# **Describing Warm Dark Matter with the Reduced Relativistic Gas**

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# Outline

- ◆ **History and basics of RRG**
- ◆ **RRG as perfect fluid**
- ◆ **Einstein-Boltzmann eqs. for RRG**
- ◆ **Effects of Warm Dark Matter**
- ◆ **Conclusions**

# History of RRG

- ♦ **First proposed in 1966 by Sakharov to interpolate between radiation a dust eras.**
  
- ♦ **Revived in 2005:**
  - ♦ **In Cosmology: Berredo-Peixoto, I. Shapiro & F. Sobreira**
  - ♦ **Relativistic Fluid Dynamics: Mignone, Plewa & Bode**
  - ♦ **Similar ideas implemented by Macorra, 2010, “Bound Dark Matter”**
  
- ♦ **Recently applied for studies of:**
  - ♦ **Warm Dark Matter: 1706.08595**
  - ♦ **Photon-Barion Fluid: 1312.1937**
  - ♦ **Neutrinos: 1710.01785**
  - ♦ **Relativistic Fluid Dynamics**

# What is RRG?

**RRG is a classic ideal gas composed by particles that all have the same momentum magnitude.**

**Relativistic  
Energy**

$$E = \sqrt{m^2 c^4 + p^2 c^2}$$

**Equation  
of State**

$$P = \frac{\rho}{3} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{m c^2}{E} \right)^2 \right] = \frac{\rho}{3} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\rho_d}{\rho} \right)^2 \right]$$

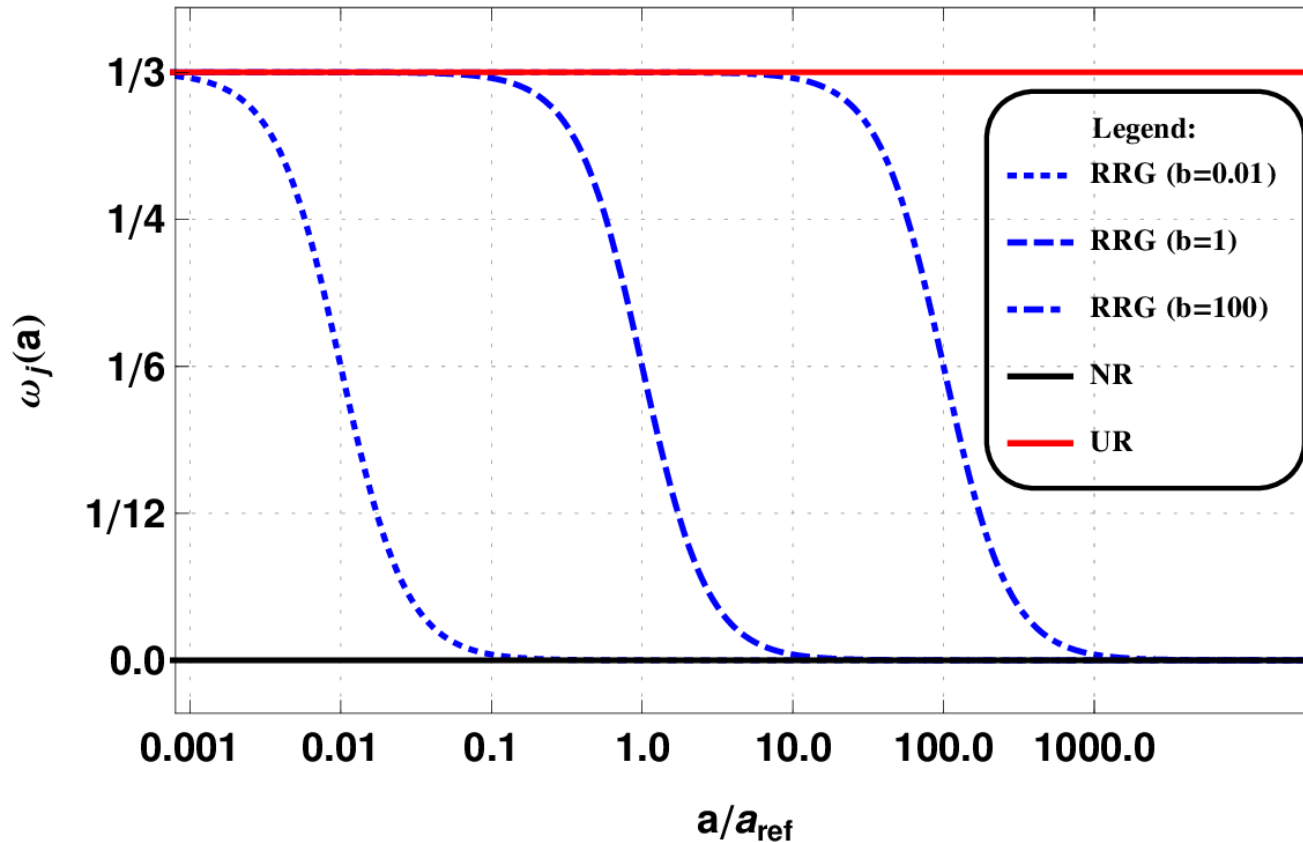
**Cosmological  
evolution**

$$\rho(a) = \rho_d(a_{\text{ref}}) \sqrt{\left( \frac{a}{a_{\text{ref}}} \right)^{-6} + b^2 \left( \frac{a}{a_{\text{ref}}} \right)^{-8}}$$

# What is RRG?

Evolution of EoS

$$w = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{b^2}{(a/a_{\text{ref}})^2 + b^2} \right] = \frac{1}{3} v_{\text{th}}^2$$



Transition from  
UR to NR  
occurs when

$$b \sim \frac{a}{a_{\text{ref}}}$$

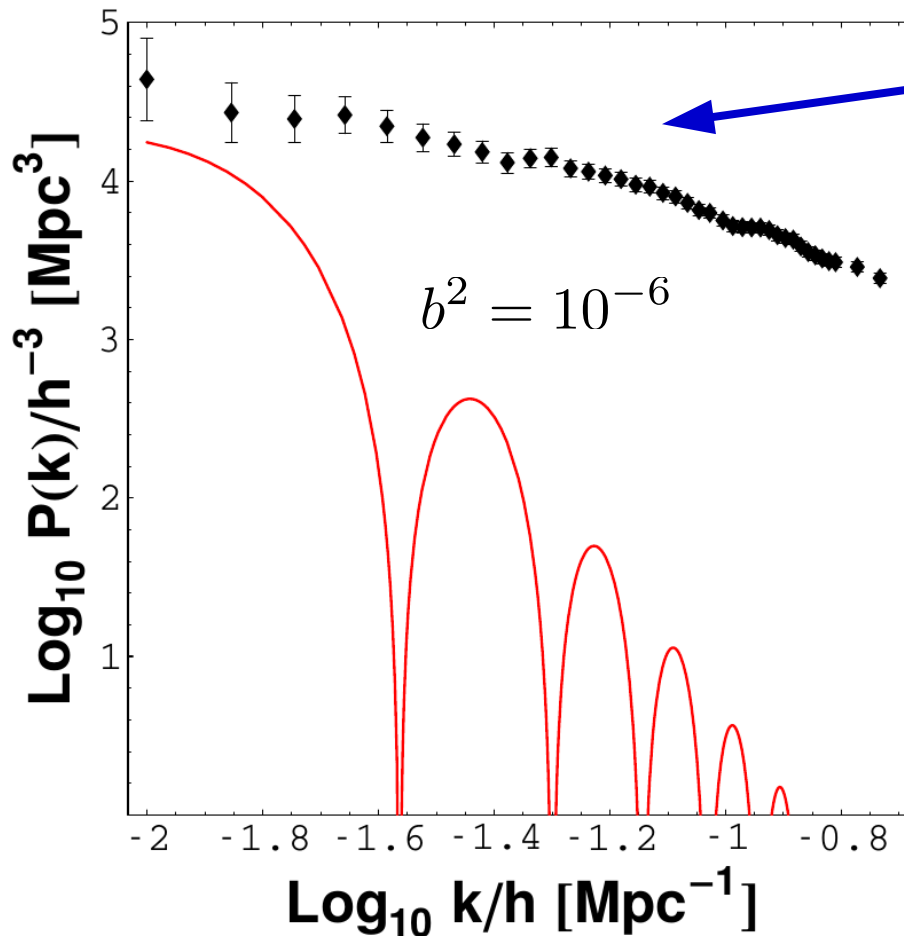
# RRG Linear Perturbations

Fabris, Shapiro, Sobreira  
2009

$$\delta P = \frac{1}{3} \delta \rho (1 - r)$$

pressure  
perturbation

$a_{\text{ref}} = 1$   
assumed



2dF  
Matter Power  
Spectrum data

Upper  
bound

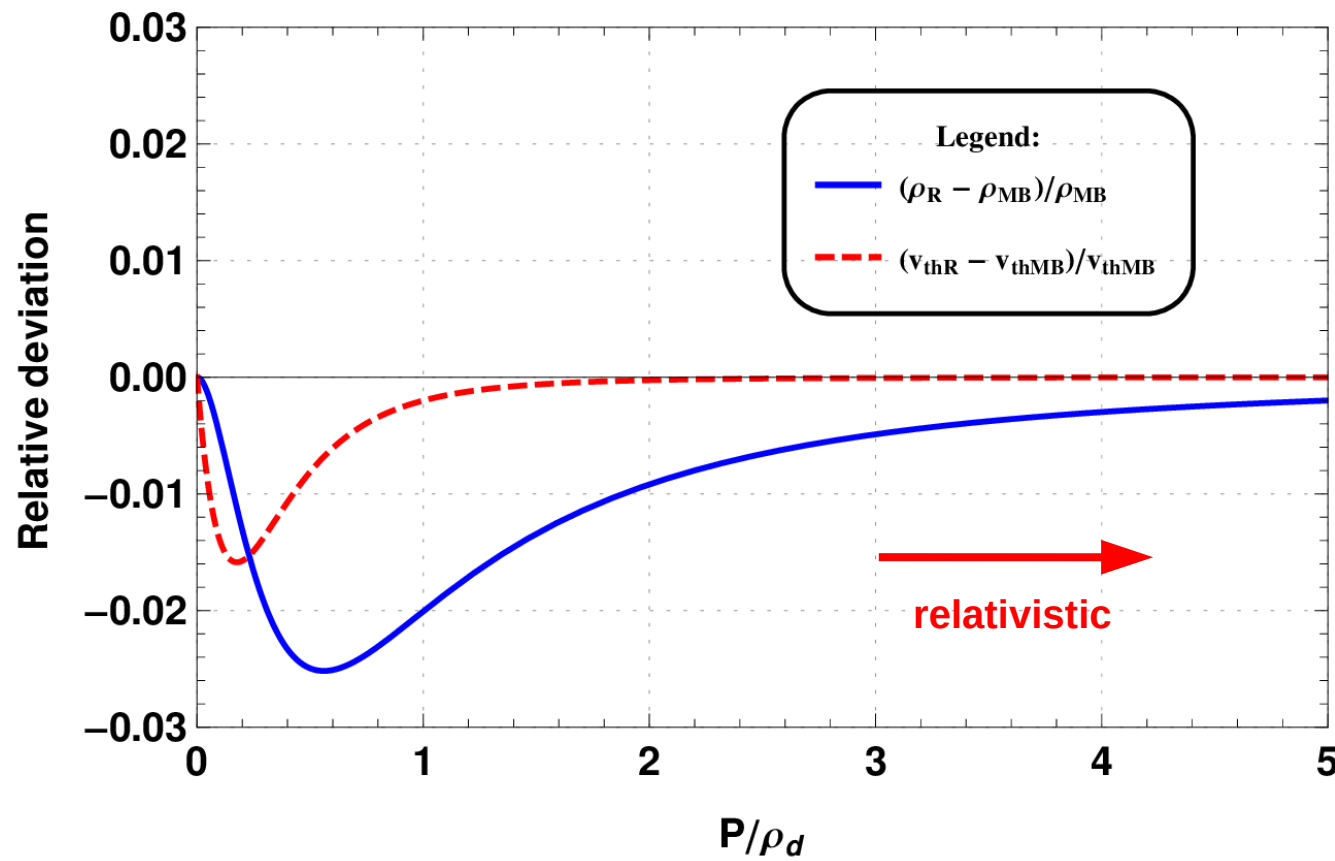
$$b^2 < 10^{-9}$$

# RRG x Maxwell-Boltzmann

Relativistic MB  
Jüttner 1911

$$P = nT \quad \text{and} \quad \rho = 3nT + nm \frac{K_1(m/T)}{K_2(m/T)}$$

RRG Error



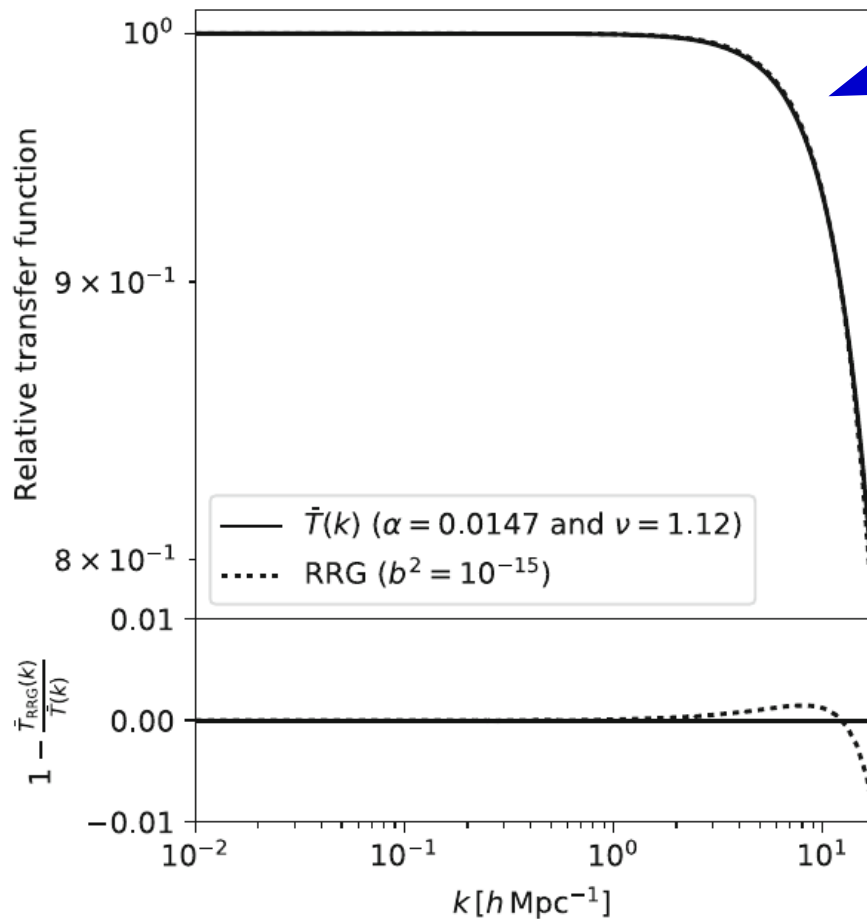
$$\rho_d = nm$$

# RRG Linear Perturbations

Hipólito-Ricaldi et al.  
1706.08595

$$\delta P = c_a^2 \delta \rho$$

Numerical transfer  
function from CLASS



**Bode, Ostriker, Turok**  
**Transfer function for**  
**Thermal Relics**  
**Full Einstein-Boltzmann Eqs.**

$$T(k) = [1 + (\alpha k)^{2\nu}]^{-5/\nu}$$

$$\alpha = 0.049 \left( \frac{m}{\text{keV}} \right)^{-1.11} \left( \frac{\Omega_{\text{DM}}}{0.25} \right)^{0.11} \left( \frac{h}{0.7} \right)^{1.22}$$

**Upper bound**  
**including CMB**

$$b^2 < 10^{-10}$$

**RRG b-mass relation**

$$m = \frac{4.65}{10^6 b^{4/5}} \text{keV}$$



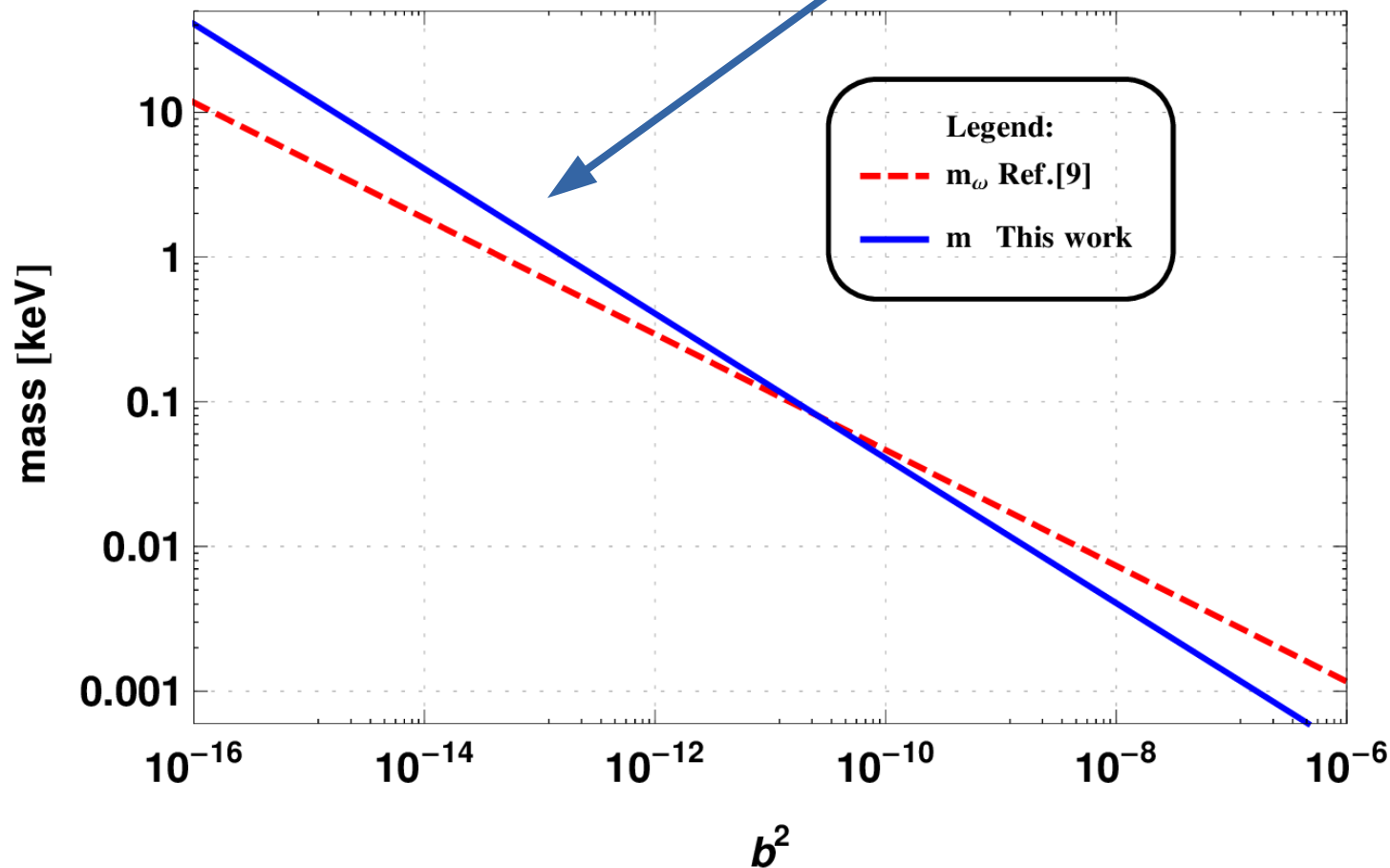
# Another b-mass relation

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2019

## Assumptions:

- RRG and MB with same energy now.
- MB with sharp transition from UR to NR at  $T=m$
- MB in equilibrium with photons at  $a_{\text{nuc}}$
- RRG with  $m \gg T_{\gamma}$

$$m = \frac{4.07}{10^7 b} \text{ keV}$$



# Distribution Function for RRG

**Background  
DF**

$$\bar{f}(p, t) = Cp\delta_D(p - \bar{p})$$

**RRG: all particle with  
same momentum  
magnitude**

**First order  
Momentum perturbation**

$$p(\vec{x}, \hat{p}, t) = \bar{p}(t) + \delta p(\vec{x}, \hat{p}, t)$$

**First order  
DF**

$$f(\vec{x}, p, \hat{p}, t) \simeq \bar{f} + \frac{\partial \bar{f}}{\partial p} \delta p = \bar{f} - p \frac{\partial \bar{f}}{\partial p} M(\vec{x}, \hat{p}, t)$$

**Momentum  
Constrast**



**EMT**

$$T_{\nu}^{\mu} = \int \frac{d\vec{P}^3}{(2\pi)^3 \sqrt{-g}} \frac{P^{\mu} P^{\nu}}{P^0} f$$

**Reproduces bck. EoS, gives the sound speed and anisotropic stress**

$$\delta P = \frac{w}{3} \frac{(5 - 3w)}{1 + w} \delta \rho = c_a^2 \delta \rho$$

$$\sigma = -6c_a^2 M_2$$

# Distribution Function for RRG

**Newtonian gauge**  
(Ma&Bertschinger notation)

$$ds^2 = a^2 [-(1 + 2\psi)d\eta^2 + (1 + 2\phi)d\vec{x}^2]$$

**Multipolar expansion  
for M**

$$M_l(k, t) = \frac{1}{2(-1)^l} \int_{-1}^1 d\mu P_l(\mu) M(k, \mu, t)$$

**Boltzmann equations:**

$$M'_0 + \frac{k}{4} (5 - 3w) \sqrt{3w} M_1 + \phi' = 0$$

$$M'_1 + \frac{1}{3} \frac{k}{4} \sqrt{3w} (5 - 3w) (2M_2 - M_0) - \frac{1}{4} \frac{(1+w)}{\sqrt{3w}} k\psi = 0$$

$$M'_l + \frac{k}{4(2l+1)} \sqrt{3w} (5 - 3w) [(l+1) M_{l+1} - l M_{l-1}] = 0$$

# Warm Approximation

$$\frac{\rho}{\rho_d} \simeq 1 + x$$

$$\delta\rho/\bar{\rho} = \underline{\underline{(3 + 2x + \mathcal{O}(x^2))}} M_0$$

$$\delta p/\bar{p} = \left( \underline{\underline{\frac{10}{3}x}} - \frac{19}{3}x^2 + \mathcal{O}(x^3) \right) M_0$$

**COLD**

$$v = -i \left( \underline{\underline{4\sqrt{2}x}} - \frac{17}{3}\sqrt{2}x^{3/2} + \mathcal{O}(x^{5/2}) \right) M_1$$

**WARM**

$$\sigma = \left( \underline{\underline{-\frac{20}{3}x}} + \frac{154}{9}x^2 + \mathcal{O}(x^3) \right) M_2$$

**Warm Sound Speed**

$$c_s = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3} \frac{b}{a}$$

# Warm Approximation

**Boltzmann equations in  
warm approximation**

$$M'_0 + \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{4} k c_s M_1 + \phi' = 0$$

$$M'_1 + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} c_s k (2M_2 - M_0) - \frac{\sqrt{5}}{12} \frac{k}{c_s} \psi = 0$$

$$M'_l + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{12(2l+1)} c_s k [(l+1) M_{l+1} - l M_{l-1}] = 0$$

**Higher multipoles become  
important on scales**

$$c_s \eta k > 1$$

# Perfect Fluid Scale

Higher multipoles become  
important  
inside free-stream scale

$$k_{\text{FS}} = \frac{3a}{\sqrt{5}b} \frac{1}{\eta}$$

For keV mass scale

$$b^2 \sim 10^{-14}$$

$$k_{\text{FS}} \sim \frac{10^7}{3000 \text{Mpc}/h} \simeq 10^3 \frac{h}{\text{Mpc}}$$

More conservative estimate:  
sound horizon scale  
( $\Lambda$ CDM background)

$$k_s = 2\pi H_0 c^{-1} / \int_{a_i}^1 \frac{c_s da}{a^2 E(a)}$$

$$k_s(b^2 = 10^{-14}) = 12.3h/\text{Mpc}$$

# Is it safe to use perfect fluid RRG?

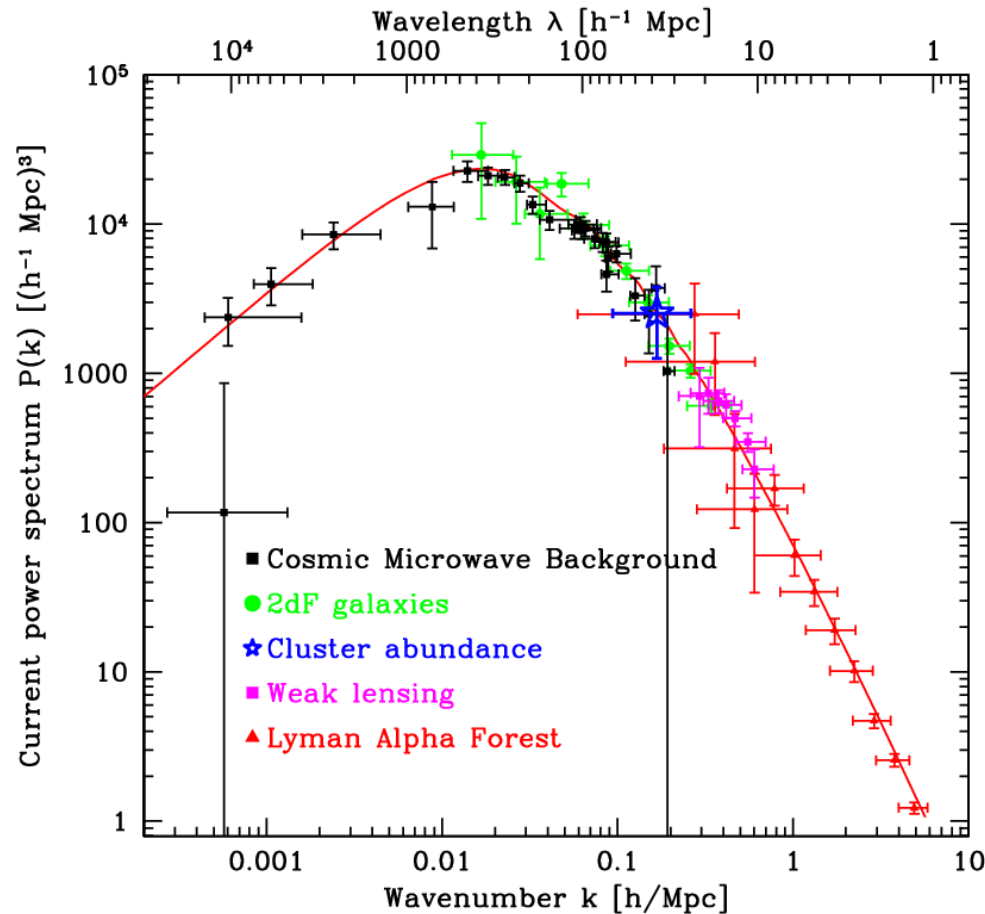


Fig. by  
M. Tegmark

1306.2314  
WDM mass  
constraint:  
 $m > 3\text{keV}$

$$k_s = \left( \frac{10^{-14}}{b^2} \right) 12.3h/\text{Mpc} = \left( \frac{m}{\text{keV}} \right) 3.6h/\text{Mpc}$$

# Initial Conditions

Warm approximation breaks  $a \sim b$

For keV  
mass scale

$$b^2 \sim 10^{-14}$$

RRG is  
relativistic at

$$a < 10^{-7}$$

**Use relativistic IC (e.g. massless neutrinos)**

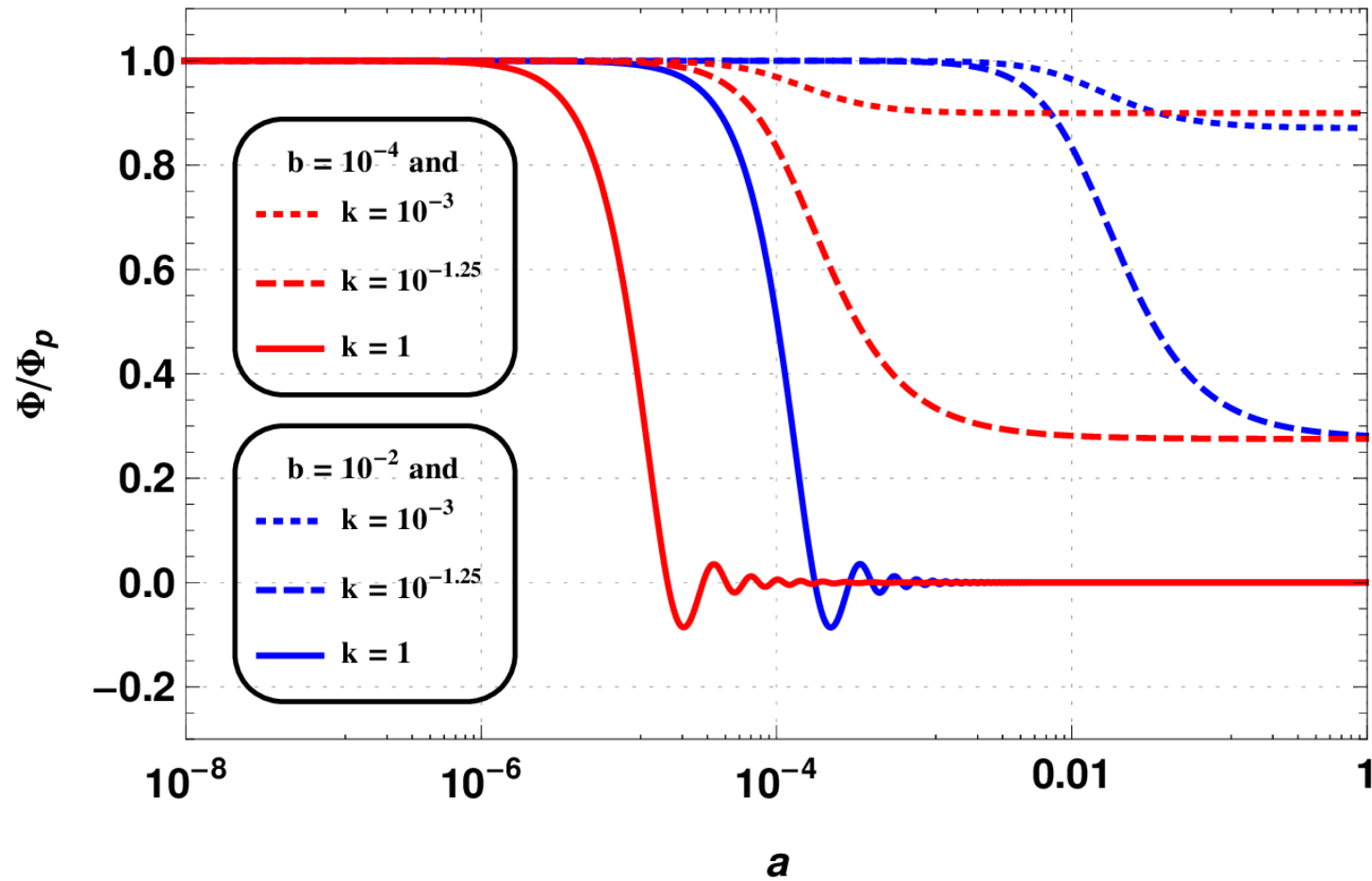
At 1 MeV scale (  $a > 10^{-10}$  )  
RRG is non relativistic for

$$m > 400\text{keV}$$



# Pedagogical Model

Universe with RRG only



# Conclusions

- **RRG is a simple and precise model to interpolate between UR and NR regimes of a gas.**
- **For WDM application RRG framework shows dissipative effects are very small, perfect fluid can be used.**
- **Better to use RRG than  $w=\text{const.}$  to constraint general DM models.**

**Thanks!**