5. With the new virtual machine still selected, click Connect.

A console window opens, showing that the virtual machine is currently turned off (see Figure 10-18).

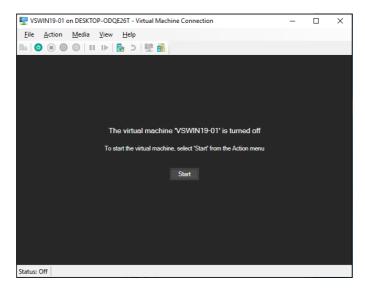


FIGURE 10-18: Viewing a virtual machine through a console.

- 6. Click Connect.
- 7. Click Start.

The virtual machine powers up.

8. When prompted to press a key to boot from the CD or DVD, press any key.

The operating system's installation program starts.

9. Follow the instructions of the installation program to install the operating system.

That's all there is to it. You've now successfully created a Hyper-V virtual machine!