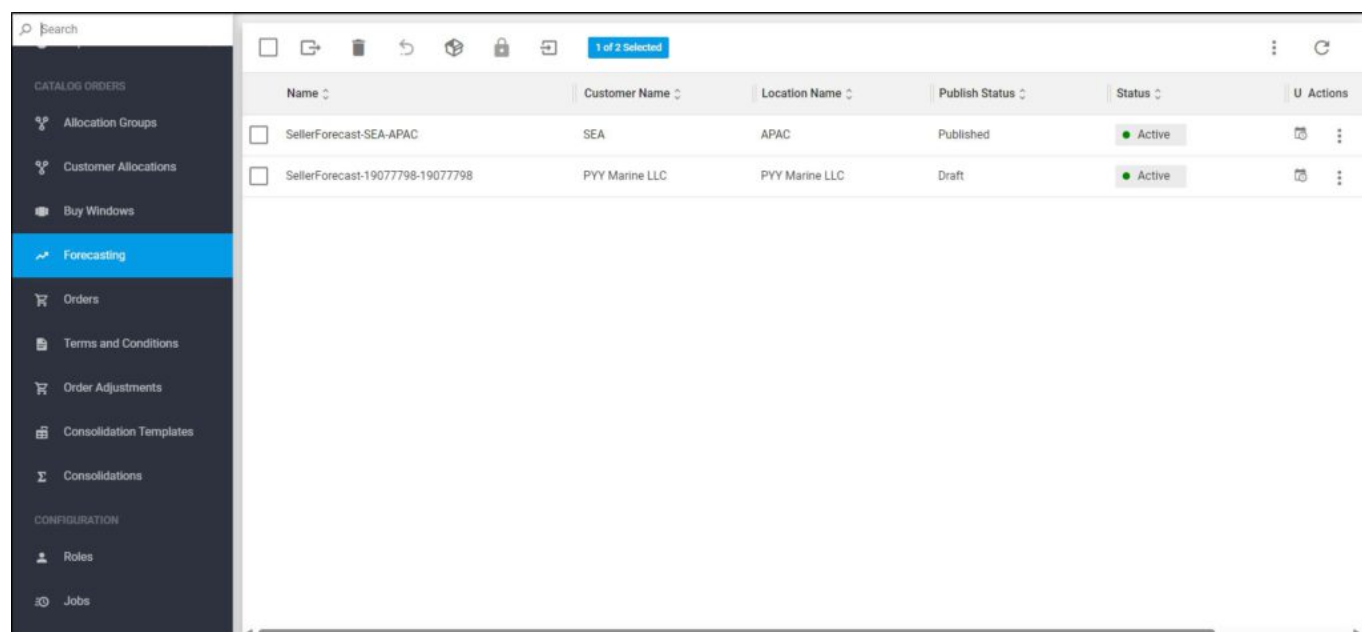# Forecasting

Forecasts are the predicted article quantities to be ordered in the future, and they can be defined for a specific customer or by the buyer himself. Through this module, you can create a forecast for a specific location and specify the quantities for each article. You can also import a file with article quantities, and you can either publish the forecast to allow sellers and buyers of the catalog to view it, or keep it private.

Go to **Forecasting**, the following window appears:

The page lists the forecasts of the selected catalog. For each one, the customer's name, location name, publish status, status and updated date are displayed.

You can import a list of forecasts, publish one or more forecasts or change it to draft state, among other actions as mentioned in the following sections.